



# Eastern Counties Property Auctions

RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, LAND

Wednesday 21st September 2022, 2.00pm

(Forming part of the Conditions of Sale)

## 1. Conditions of Sale

Please note that all lots are sold in accordance with the Common Auction Conditions (4th Edition) at the back of this catalogue. Special Conditions of Sale relating to each lot are available upon request from the Auctioneers or the Vendors Solicitor prior to the Auction. Purchasers will be deemed to have inspected these Special Conditions of Sale and will be legally bound by these conditions which will form part of and will be attached to the Sale Memorandum.

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### 3. Buyers' Registration

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# ORDER OF SALE (unless sold prior or withdrawn)

- LOT 01 0.396 acres of land on east side of Rideaway, Hemingford Abbots, Cambs
- LOT 02 1.62 acres of land on east side of Rideaway, Hemingford Abbots, Cambs
- LOT 03 4.22 acres at Wicken Road, Soham, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 04 1.07 acres off the A10, Stretham, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 05 Land at Little Fen Drove, Reach, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 06 Land off Old Fen Drove, Witchford, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 07 Land off Old Fen Baulk Road, Witchford, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 08 Land East & West of A10, Stretham, Ely, Cambridgeshire,
- LOT 09 1.51 acres at Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk
- LOT 10 3.01 acres Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk
- LOT 11 Arable and Woodland South of Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk

- LOT 12 34.77 acres at Hale Road Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk
- LOT 13 Land adjacent to 12-22 Holly Walk, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 14 Chudliegh House, Amatola House & Foresters Club, Kingston Passage, Newmarket, Suffolk
- LOT 15 27, 27c & 29 High Street, Saffron Walden, Essex
- LOT 16 123 Newmarket Road, Cambridge, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 17 The Green Hill, 1 Cambridge Road, Linton, Cambridge
- LOT 18 Amberside, Stretham Station Road, Wilburton, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 19 Coveney Methodist Church, Main Street, Coveney, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 20 8 Globe Lane, Littleport, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 21 23-35 Market Street, Soham, Ely, Cambridgeshire
- LOT 22 5 Oaklands Avenue, Wistow, Huntingdon

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# ONLINE

Submitting the Cheffins bidding registration form



# **PROXY BID**

Submitting the Cheffins bidding registration form



# All bidding methods will require:

- Interested parties to register with the auction team at least 48 HOURS BEFORE THE AUCTION (and the earlier the better).
- We must receive a deposit prior to the auction, this being 10% of the guide price (subject to a minimum of £3,000) plus a Buyer's Administration Fee of £600 inc VAT.
- Please transfer the deposit amount to Cheffins Clients Account 20-17-68, 03914062 using the Lot Number and your Surname as the reference.
- Bidders will need to complete registration forms, prove their identity before the auction, and transfer the deposit, only then will their application to bid be accepted
- Should the winning bid be more than the guide price, the additional 10% deposit is required within 24hrs of the auction.

The auction team will be very happy to talk you through the bidding options available. Please call **01223 213777 Option 1** to speak to the auction team.

# 0.396 acres of land on east side of Rideaway, Hemingford Abbots, <u>Cambridgeshire PE28 9AT</u>

# Guide Price\* £15,000-£20,000

- 0.396 acres of land
- South of the village of Hemingford Abbots
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

An opportunity to purchase a single parcel of land extending to 0.396 acres located to the south of the popular village of Hemingford Abbots and close to the A1307 former A14.

The land comprises of a single level parcel of land mainly laid to scrub with some self seeded trees and buses interspersing. the land is bordered on the west and southsides by public highway, while adjoining arable land to the north and east sides.

The land is accessed via a gateway directly from Rideaway public highway.

The land does not benefit from any mains electricity or water connection.

# Location

The land is situated to the south of the village of Hemingford Abbots approximately 3 miles east of Huntingdon and 17 miles north west of Cambridge.

From Cambridge head west on the A1307 Cambridge Road before turning off at junction 25. Continue round the slip road in an anti-clockwise direction before crossing over the top of the A1307 and entering Rideaway. After approximately 120m the subject land can be seen on the right hand side shortly after the turning to the road that spans between Rideaway and New Road.

### **Auctioneers Note**

The land will be sold subject to an overage clause - please see legal pack for details.

### **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold with any wayleaves, covenants and right of way that may exist.

All sporting timber and mineral rights are included in the sale in so far as they are owned. please see legal pack for details.

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

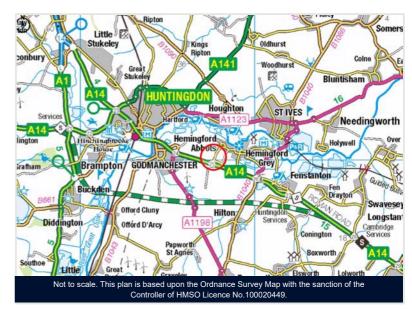
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# 1.62 acres of land on east side of Rideaway, Hemingford Abbots, <u>Cambridgeshire PE28 9AT</u>

# Guide Price\* £40,000-£50,000

- 1.62 acres of grassland
- South of the village of Hemingford Abbots
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

An opportunity to purchase a single parcel of grassland extending to 1.62 acres, located to the south of the popular village of Hemingford Abbots and adjacent to the A1307 Cambridge Road (former A14).

The land comprises a single level parcel of grassland at the western end of a larger block of land. The parcel is bordered on its western side by Rideaway (public highway) and to the southern side by the A1307.

The land is accessed via a gateway from the public road that spans between Rideaway and New Road.

The land does not benefit from mains electricity or water connection.

# Location

The land is situated to the south of the village of Hemingford Abbots approximately 3 miles east of Huntingdon and 17 miles north west of Cambridge.

From Cambridge head west on the A1307 Cambridge Road before turning off at junction 25. Continue round the slip road in an anti-clockwise direction before crossing over the top of the A1307 and entering Rideaway. After approximately 100m turn right onto the road heading eastwards where the concrete entrance to the land can be found after approximately 75m on the right hand side.

# **Auctioneers Note**

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# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

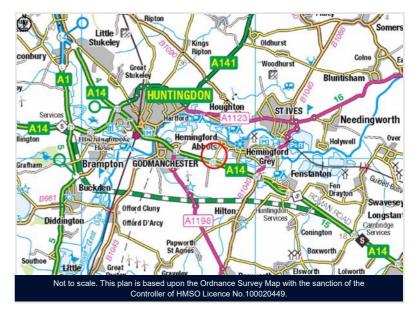
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TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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# 4.22 acres at Wicken Road, Soham, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB7 5LT

# Guide Price\* £35,000+

- 4.22 acres of arable land
- Freehold
- Vacant possession after harvest

### Description

An opportunity to acquire a parcel of arable land extending to 1.71 hectares (4.22 acres) situated to the north side of Wicken Road, Soham.

The land is generally flat with good road frontage to the A1123 Wicken Road.

The land is classified as Grade 2 on DEFRA's Agricultural Land Classification Map and is identified in the Soil Survey for England and Wales as belonging to the Swaffham Prior Soil Association, these soils are further described as being well drained calcareous coarse and fine loamy soils over chalk rubble.

The land has being cropped with cereals with a history of good yields. The most recent cropping being Maize (2022) Winter Wheat (2021) Sugar Beet (2020).

The land has open boundaries to adjoining land parcels.

### Location

The land is situated approximately 2 miles south of Soham, on the north side of Wicken Road, when heading towards Wicken it is 200 metres after the railway bridge.

Soham is a small market town situated approximately 10 miles north of Cambridge and 6 miles south-east of Ely in the County of Cambridgeshire.

### **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any rights-of-way, easements or wayleaves that may exist. We understand that a gas main passes under the land. All sporting, timber and mineral rights are included in the sale in so far as they are owned. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

The outgoing tenant will be granted holdover as necessary to harvest and remove the growing crop of maize.

### **Basic Payments Scheme**

The land has been registered for the benefit of the Basic Payment Scheme. Entitlements to claim the Basic Payment Scheme will **not** be included in the sale.

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession after harvest

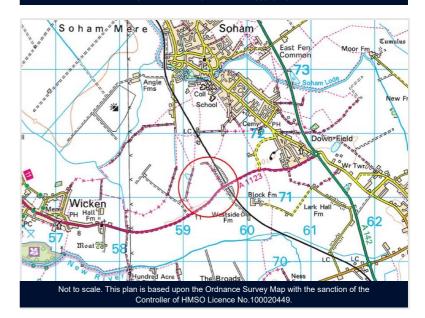
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# 1.07 acres off the A10, Stretham, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB6 3LU

# Guide Price\* £30,000-£35,000

- 1.07 acres of amenity land
- River frontage
- Potential for a variety of uses STP
- Freehold with vacant possession

### Description

An opportunity to purchase a single parcel of amenity land extending to 1.07 acres, located on the east side of the A10 Cambridge Road, close to Stretham ferry bridge and Cambridge Aqua Park.

The land comprises a single parcel of land which is mainly low lying adjacent to the river, but with raised levels around its perimeter.

The parcel features a range of self seeded trees and has most recently been used most for motorcycle trials riding, but may suit a variety of uses STP.

There is river frontage along the north western boundary of the land (to the River Great Ouse), while the south west part of the land is bordered by the A10 Cambridge Road.

It is understood that the land does not benefit from any main services.

# Wayleaves, Easements, Covenants and Rights of Way

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any rights-of-way, easements or wayleaves that may exist.

All sporting, timber and mineral rights are included in the sale in so far as they are owned. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

### Location

The land is situated to the south of the Cambridgeshire village of Stretham, which is a popular village north of Cambridge and south of Ely.

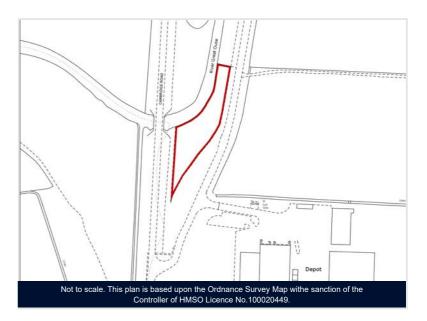
From the village of Stretham head south on the A10 for approximately 450m before taking the left hand turning on to the service road that is also sign posted for Lazy Otter Meadows, Stretham Ferry Marina and Cambridge Aqua Park. Continue south along the service road and the land can be found on the right hand side, just before it re-joins the A10 Cambridge Road.

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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# Land at Little Fen Drove, Reach, Cambridgeshire CB25 0JF

# Guide Price\* £70,000-£80,000

- 7.76 acres arable land
- Grade II
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

An opportunity to acquire a parcel of arable land extending to 3.14 hectares (7.76 acres) located to the west of the attractive historic village of Reach.

The land is currently in arable cultivation having most recently being cropped with Winter Barley.

Defra's Agricultural Land Classification Map, classifies the land as Grade 2 and the Soil Survey for England and Wales identifies the soils as Disturbed Soils, Coprolite Workings. The soils have been disturbed for the extraction of coprolite. Coprolite was extracted during the 19th Century for its high sulphate content and used as fertilizer. Areas which have not been disturbed fall within the Reach Soil Association where the soils can be described as shallow, humose, fine loamy calcareous soils over chalk or chalk rubble.

The land has good roadside access to Little Fen Drove, an adopted highway.

### Location

The land is situated to the east of Little Fen Road, approximately 1 mile west of The Dyke End public house, leaving the village via Great Lane, Reach, the land is approximate 200 metres beyond Swan Farm Grain Store, and on the right-hand-side of the road.

# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

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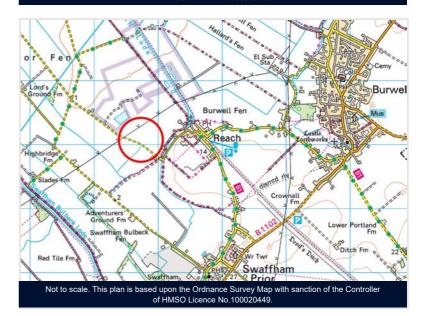
### **Basic Payments Scheme**

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# Land off Old Fen Drove, Witchford, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB6 2HX

# Guide Price\* £165,000+

- 25.42 Acres of grassland
- Suitable for Agricultural/Amenity Use
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

An opportunity to purchase four parcels of grassland extending to 10.29 hectares (25.42 acres) situated in a rural location near the village of Witchford. The land is classified as Grade 3 on the Agricultural Land Classification Map and the Soil Survey of England & Wales classifies the soils as being mainly of the Peacock soil association; a deep humose calcareous clayey, and non-calcareous fine loamy over clayey soil suitable for cereals, beans and some grassland.

The property is accessed over Old Fen Drove, which is a public byway from Long Causeway.

### Location

The land is situated off Old Fen Fen, approximately 0.75 miles north west of the village of Witchford. Witchford is situated some 3 miles west of the centre of the City of Ely, Cambridgeshire. Grid Reference: TL488 803

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### **Auctioneers Note**

Drainage Rates - The land is subject to drainage rates payable to The Littleport and Downham Drainage Board.

### **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any wayleaves, easements, covenants and rights-of-way that may exist. All sporting, mineral and timber rights are included in the sale so far as they are owned. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

### **Basic Payments Scheme**

The land is registered on the Rural Land Register with the Rural Payments Agency. Entitlements to claim the Basic Payment Scheme are included in the sale and will be transferred by the outgoing Tenant. The land forms part of the outgoing Tenant's 2022 Basic Payment Scheme application and the Tenant will retain the benefit of any payments made thereon in the 2022 scheme year

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

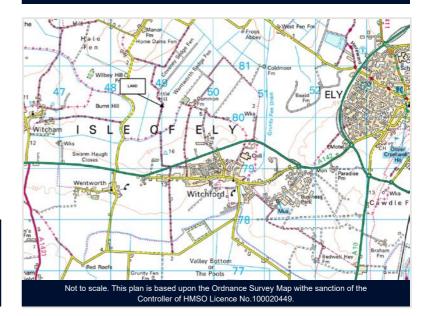
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# Land off Old Fen Baulk Road, Witchford, Ely CB6 2HX

# Guide Price\* £150,000+

- 23.03 Acres of arable and grassland
- Suitable for Agricultural/Amenity Use
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

An opportunity to purchase two parcels of arable land and a parcel of grassland extending to 9.32 hectares (23.03 acres) situated in a rural location near the village of Witchford. The land is classified as Grade 2 on the Agricultural Land Classification Map and the Soil Survey of England & Wales classifies the soils as being mainly of the Hanslope soil association; a slowly permeable clay soil, suitable for winter cereals and some other arable crops.

The arable land has been cropped with Winter Wheat for the 2021 and 2022 harvest.

The property is accessed over Old Fen Baulk Road, which is a public byway from the A142.

# Location

The land is situated off Old Fen Baulk Road, approximately 0.75 miles north west of the village of Witchford. Witchford is situated some 3 miles west of the centre of the City of Ely, Cambridgeshire. Grid Reference: TL490 795

What3words: trainers.surfed.whirlpool.

### **Auctioneers Note**

Drainage Rates - The land is subject to the Environment Agency General Drainage Charge.

# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any wayleaves, easements, covenants and rights-of-way that may exist. All sporting, mineral and timber rights are included in the sale so far as they are owned. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

### **Basic Payments Scheme**

The land is registered on the Rural Land Register with the Rural Payments Agency. Entitlements to claim the Basic Payment Scheme are included in the sale and will be transferred by the outgoing Tenant. The land forms part of the outgoing Tenant's 2022 Basic Payment Scheme application and the Tenant will retain the benefit of any payments made thereon in the 2022 scheme year

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

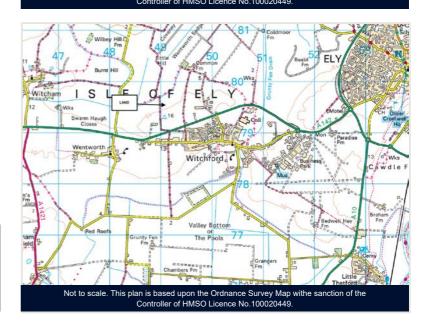
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# Land East & West of A10, Stretham, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB6 3LW

# Guide Price\* £175,000+

- 18.29 Acres of arable land in two parcels
- Suitable for Agricultural Use
- Freehold with vacant possession

### Description

An opportunity to acquire two parcels of arable land extending to 7.38 hectares (18.24 acres) situated either side of the A10 Cambridge Road, close to the village of Stretham. The land is classified as Grade 3 on the Agricultural Land Classification Map and the Soil Survey of England & Wales classifies the soils as being mainly of the Evesham 3 Soil Association of which the soils are described as being slowly permeable calcareous clayey, and fine loamy over clayey soils.

The land is currently in an arable rotation and is cropped with Sugar Beet for the 2022 harvest.

Both parcels are directly accessed from the A10.

Drainage rates are applicable.

# Wayleaves, Easements, Covenants and Rights of Way

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any wayleaves, easements, covenants and rights-of-way that may exist. All sporting, mineral and timber rights are included in the sale so far as they are owned.

### Location

The land is situated to the East and West of the A10 Ely Road, Stretham, approximately 0.4 miles south of the A10 roundabout. Stretham Witchford is situated some 4.5 miles south of the centre of the City of Ely, Cambridgeshire. Grid Reference: TL5046 7392 and TL5085 7387. What3words: think.stealthier.circling and taskbar.tested.different

# **Auctioneers Note**

The outgoing tenant will retain the right of holdover until 31st October 2022 for the harvesting of the sugar beet.

# **Basic Payments Scheme**

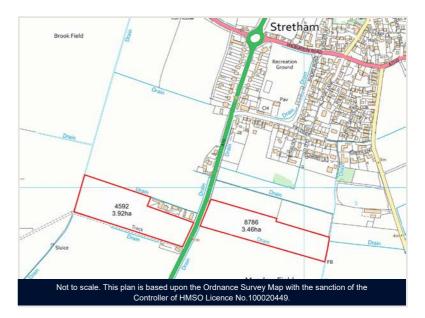
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# 1.51 acres at Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk IP25 7DZ

# Guide Price\* £20,000-£25,000

- 1.51 acres of grassland
- Freehold
- Vacant Possession

### Description

An opportunity to acquire a parcel of grassland extending to 0.61 hectares (1.51 acres) in this semi-rural location.

Located just outside the attractive village of Holme Hale, the grassland has road frontage to Station Road and is accessed via the same.

The land is classified as Grade 3 on DEFRA's Agricultural Land Classification Map and is identified in the Soil Survey for England and Wales as belonging to the Newmarket 1 Soil Association, these soils are further described as being shallow well drained calcareous coarse loamy and sandy soils over chalk rubble associated with deeper well drained coarse loamy and sandy soils.

The land is enclosed to the south by an area woodland forming a disused railway line and to the west by a mixed species thorn hedge. The northern boundary is largely open to Station Road.

### Location

The land is situated on the south side of Station Road, Holme Hale approximately 200 metres west of its junction with Hale Road.

Holme Hale is a small rural village situated approximately 5 ½ miles east of the market town of Swaffham, Norfolk.

# **Auctioneers Note**

The land will be sold subject to an overage clause - please see legal pack for details.

# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

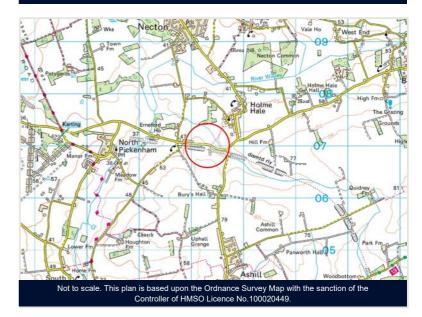
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TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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# 3.01 acres Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk IP25 7DZ

# Guide Price\* £40,000-£50,000

- 3.01 acres of grassland
- Freehold
- Vacant possession

## Description

An attractive opportunity to acquire a parcel of grassland extending to 1.22 hectares (3.01 acres) situated adjacent to 34 Station Road on the outskirts of the attractive village of Holme Hale.

The land occupies a slightly elevated position with good road frontage to Station Road

The land is classified as Grade 3 on DEFRA's Agricultural Land Classification Map and is identified in the Soil Survey for England and Wales as belonging to the Newmarket 1 Soil Association, these soils are further described as being shallow well drained calcareous coarse loamy and sandy soils over chalk rubble associated with deeper well drained coarse loamy and sandy soils.

The land is enclosed to the south by an area woodland forming a disused railway line and to the west by a mixed species thorn hedge forming the boundary to 34 Station Road. The northern and eastern boundaries are not enclosed.

### Location

The land is situated on the south side of Station Road, Holme Hale approximately 250 metres west of its junction with Hale Road and immediately adjacent to 34 Station Road.

Holme Hale is a small rural village situated approximately 5 ½ miles east of the market town of Swaffham, Norfolk.

# **Auctioneers Note**

The land will be sold subject to an overage clause - please see legal pack for details.

### **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any rights-of-way, easements or wayleaves that may exist.

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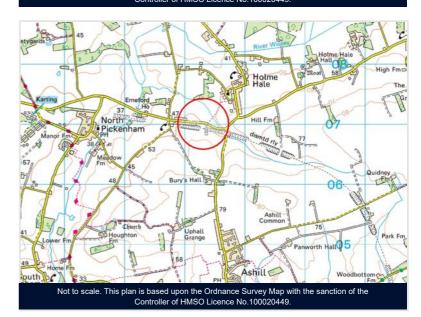
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# Arable and Woodland South of Station Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk IP25 7DZ

# Guide Price\* £60,000-£70,000

- 3.11 acres arable and woodland
- Remains of traditional farm buildings
- Freehold
- Vacant possession

# Description

An unusual opportunity to acquire an area of arable and woodland which contains the remains of a range of traditional farm buildings which may possibly have some development potential subject to obtaining the necessary planning consents. The woodland and remains of the buildings occupy an elevated position with far reaching views over the Norfolk countryside and is located just outside the attractive village of Holme Hale.

The land is classified as Grade 3 on DEFRA's Agricultural Land Classification Map and is identified in the Soil Survey for England and Wales as belonging to the Newmarket 1 Soil Association, these soils are further described as being shallow well drained calcareous coarse loamy and sandy soils over chalk rubble associated with deeper well drained coarse loamy and sandy soils.

The land is accessed by way of a stone track from Station Road, Holme Hale and the boundaries to the east and west are open to adjoining arable land whilst the northern boundary is demarked by an area of woodland forming a disused railway line.

# Location

The land is located in open countryside and is accessed from the south side of Station Road, Holme Hale approximately 200 metres west of its junction with Hale Road. Holme Hale is a small rural village situated approximately 5 ½ miles east of the market town of Swaffham, Norfolk.

# Planning

Planning Authority: Breckland Council, Elizabeth House, Walpole Loke, Dereham, Norfolk, NR19 1EE

# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

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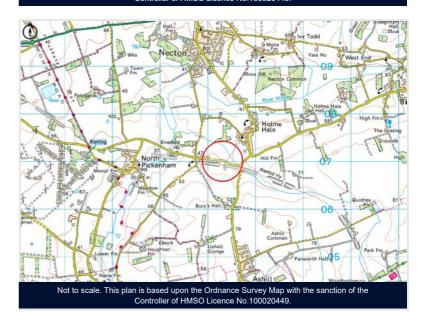
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# 34.77 acres at Hale RoadStation Road, Holme Hale, Thetford, Norfolk IP25 7DZ

# Guide Price\* £320,000-£350,000

- 34.77 acres of arable land
- Freehold
- Vacant possession

# Description

An increasingly rare opportunity to acquire a block of arable land extending to 14.07 hectares (34.77 acres) situated off Hale Road on the outskirts of the attractive village of Holme Hale.

The land has been well farmed with a history of good yields and has been cropped with Winter Wheat (2022) Winter Barley (2021) and Sugar Beet (2020).

The land is classified as Grade 3 on DEFRA's Agricultural Land Classification Map and is identified in the Soil Survey for England and Wales as belonging to the Newmarket 1 Soil Association, these soils are further described as being shallow well drained calcareous coarse loamy and sandy soils over chalk rubble associated with deeper well drained coarse loamy and sandy soils.

The land rises up from Hale Road where it has open road frontage. To the north it is partially bounded by an area of woodland forming a disused railway line, ditches and thorn hedges partially demark the south and west boundaries.

### Location

The land is situated on the west side of Hale Road, Holme Hale approximately 50 metres south of its junction with Station Road.

Holme Hale is a small rural village situated approximately 5 ½ miles east of the market town of Swaffham, Norfolk.

# **Auctioneers Note**

The land will be sold subject to an overage clause - please see legal pack for details.

# **General Remarks & Stipulations**

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any rights-of-way, easements or wayleaves that may exist.

All sporting, timber and mineral rights are included in the sale in so far as they are owned. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

# **Basic Payments Scheme**

The land has been registered for the benefit of the Basic Payment Scheme. Entitlements to claim the Basic Payment Scheme will be included in the sale.

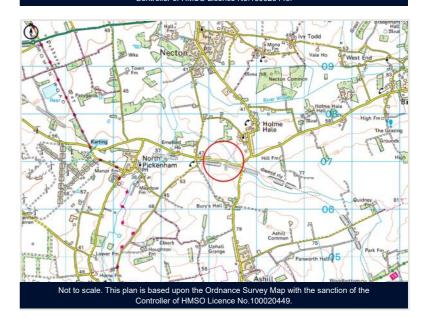
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# Land adjacent to 12-22 Holly Walk, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB7 4TH

# Guide Price\* £18,000-£20,000

- 0.09 acres of land
- Surrounded by residential properties
- Freehold

# Description

An opportunity to purchase a small parcel of land totalling 0.09 acres (370m<sup>2</sup>) which is surrounded by residential properties on the eastern fringes of Ely city centre.

The land is mainly laid to grass and features a pair of willow trees (it is understood that these are subject to a Tree Preservation Orders).

The land is bordered by footpaths to 2 sides and a parking area to the south.

Access to the land is via the public footpath that runs along the southern and western boundaries.

# Wayleaves, Easements, Covenants and Rights of Way

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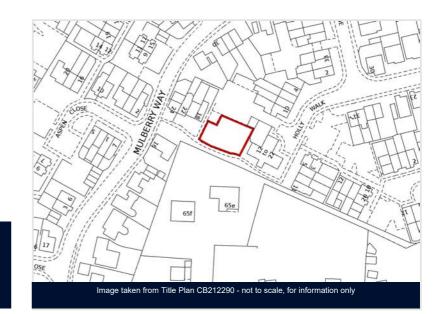
## Location

The land lies to the north east of the historic city centre of Ely just a short walk from various shops and services that are available within the city centre.

From the centre of the city head east on Prickwillow Road before turning left onto Mulberry Way. The land is accessed via a footpath that continues between Mulberry Way and Holly Walk, with the land lying adjacent to 12-22 Holly Walk.







TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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# Chudliegh House, Amatola House & Foresters Club, Kingston Passage, Newmarket, Suffolk CB8 8EN

# Guide Price\* £195,000+

- Investment/development opportunity comprising portfolio of 3 properties totalling 417m<sup>2</sup> (4,484ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Social Club let at £9,000 per annum
- 4 bed terrace house and seperate 2 storey office building
- Freehold

### Description

A rare opportunity to acquire a freehold portfolio of 3 adjoining properties, in the heart of the popular town of Newmarket. The properties include a substantial house, an office building and a Social Club, which offer scope for improvement/refurbishment and may present an opportunity for development STP.

The accommodation can be summarised as follows:

**Chudliegh House:** A substantial residential house under a pitched roof with rendered walls with the internal accommodation comprising: Ground floor: Sitting room, Kitchen with MDF base and wall units and door to CELLAR; First Floor: Landing, 2 bedrooms and a bathroom. Second floor: Landing and 2 bedrooms.

The accommodation is in need of full internal refurbishment.

The gross internal floor area of 150m<sup>2</sup> (inc cellar). EPC - E, Council Tax Band C.

**Amatola House:** A small 2 storey office block of brick construction beneath a pitched roof. The internal accommodation comprises:

Ground Floor: Office area with kitchen and store off. First Floor: Office area with cloakroom.

The property has a GIA of  $42 \text{m}^2$  and rateable area of  $31.8 \text{m}^2.$ 

**Social Club:** Operating as the Foresters Club, who have recently signed a 3 year lease outside the Act, at a rent of £9,000 per annum. The accommodation can be summarised as: Ground Floor: Games Room, Bar, Cloakroom. Cellar: Large cellar with barrel shute.

First Floor: Landing, Snooker Room, Stock Room, Office and a pair of Cloakrooms.

The property has a GIA of  $225 \text{m}^2$  and rateable area of 206 \text{m}^2. EPC – C

The total GIA of the portfolio (including cellars is therefore  $417m^2$  (4,484 ft<sup>2</sup>).







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Each property would benefit from some updating/refurbishment making this an ideal project for an investor/developer.

**Outside:** There is a small courtyard to the front of the properties, accessed from Kingston Passage, which provides parking for 2 cars.

### Location

The properties are located off Kingston Passage which is set just back from the main High Street in Newmarket, and therefore just a short walk from the range of shops, facilities and services on offer within the popular Suffolk town,

### Tenancies

The Social Club is let to Foresters Club on a recently signed 3 year lease at a rent of £9,000 per annum which is outside the Act. See legal pack for details.









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TENURE Freehold with vacant possession

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# <sup>LOT</sup>

# 27, 27c & 29 High Street, Saffron Walden, Essex CB10 1AT

# Guide Price\* £425,000-£450,000

- Fully let investment opportunity with total rent of £41,375 per annum
- Ground floor commercial premises only (other floors excluded)
- Maintained and presented to a very high standard
- Freehold subject to leases

# Description

An excellent chance to acquire a Grade II listed parade of commercial properties, occupying a prominent position at the western end of the High Street in the thriving town of Saffron Walden. The property is fully let to established tenants and therefore presents a generous rental income of £41,375 per annum to an investment buyer.

The substantial property, which has been previously refurbished and maintained to a high standard, has generous display windows directly to the High Street and features the following accommodation:

**27 High Street:** Ground floor retail premises A well presented and maintained space featuring large Retail Area with storage cupboards side, display window and door to High Street; Utility/Kitchen/Lobby with a range of MDF base units, stainless steel sink and windows and door to rear; Cloakroom with modern white WC, wash hand basin and tiled floor.

Fully let to Craft Days. EPC rating D.

**27c High Street:** Ground floor retail premises The well presented and well maintained property features a main Retail Area with shop display windows and door to High Street and store area off; Utility/Kitchen area with tiled floor, a range of MDF base units and stainless steel sink and door to rear; Cloakroom with modern white WC, wash hand basin, tiled floor and window. Fully let to Time to Vape. EPC rating E

**29 High Street:** Ground floor retail premises The well maintained commercial space features a large Retail Area with shop display window and door to the High Street; Breakroom; Kitchen/Utility with tiled floor, modern MDF base units and sink/drainer along with door to rear; Cloakroom with modern white WC, wash hand basin, timber framed window and tiled floor.

Trading as Prestige Barbers. EPC rating E

### **Outside:**

To the rear of the properties is a yard area over which the properties enjoy access for service purposes. The yard is reached via Edward Borden Court.







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### Tenancies

The properties are fully let and produce a total rental income of £41,375 per annum (see legal pack).

**27 High Street:**Let to Craft Days for £17,000 per annum on a 6 year lease from 24th October 2017, and therefore due to expire on 23rd October 2023. The tenant has the right to break on 24th May of each year. The tenant has been in occupation since 2011.

**27c High Street:** Let to Time to Vape for £11,500 per annum on 6 year lease dating from the 10th August 2022 to 9th August 2028. The rent is fixed for the 6 year term, with an option to break on the third anniversary of the tenancy. The tenant has been in occupation since 2017.

**29 High Street:** Let to Prestige Barbers for £12,875 per annum on a 15 year lease dating from 23rd October 2020 and therefore due to expire on 22nd October 2035. The lease has been assigned, with the right to break on the third anniversary remaining with the original tenant.

See legal pack for details.

The property offers a fantastic opportunity to acquire a high quality income-producing commercial parade, with a variety of established tenants in the heart of the thriving Essex town, which should greatly appeal to investor buyers.



**TENURE** Freehold Subject to Leases

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# 123 Newmarket Road, Cambridge, Cambridgeshire CB5 8HA

# Guide Price\* £395,000+

- Well located mixed-use investment property totally 171m<sup>2</sup> (1,837ft<sup>2</sup>)
- Ground floor retail premises
- 2 self contained residential flats
- Freehold

# Description

A rare chance to acquire a 4 storey mixed-use property occupying a prominent position at the western end of Newmarket Road in the heart of Cambridge city centre. The property is partly let and would benefit from some updating/refurbishment.

The building has solid brick walls beneath a pitched slate covered roof and features the following accommodation: **Basement Flat:** Accessed via a shared entrance door to the left hand side of the shop, a private staircase leads to the flat which comprises an open plan Living Room/Bedroom with dual aspect windows, Kitchen and Bathroom. The GIA approx 44m<sup>2</sup>.

**Ground Floor:** A commercial space which is currently trading as a hairdressing salon featuring a main retail space along with Kitchen, Cloakroom and Store. NIA of approximately 33m<sup>2</sup> (356ft<sup>2</sup>).

**First/Second Floors:** Duplex apartment accessed via a private staircase from the shared entrance to the side of the shop, has the following accommodation: First floor – Sitting Room, Kitchen with MDF base and wall units; Bathroom; Bedroom. Second floor – Two further Bedrooms. GIA approx 74 m<sup>2</sup>.

**Outside:** To the rear of the property is a small garden which is mostly laid to grass with pedestrian access to rear.

The property would benefit from updating/refurbishment of the internal accommodation and therefore presents a wonderful opportunity for a buyer to add value.

### Location

The property is ideally positioned at the western end of Newmarket Road which is a bustling arterial route in the heart of Cambridge city centre, just a short walk from the historic Cambridge Colleges and retail areas.

### **Tenancies**

The ground floor retail area is let on a Tenancy at Will. The agreement commenced in April 2022 with a rent of £700 per calendar month (see legal pack for details). The flats will both be vacant on sale.

**TENURE:** Freehold subject to tenancy

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- Firearms or shotgun certificate
- Residence permit issued by the Home Office to EEA nationals on sight of own country passport
- Benefit book or original notification letter from Benefits
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### List B - Proof of Residence

- A utility bill dated within the last 3 months. This could be an energy bill, water bill or landline telephone bill
- A council tax bill for the current council tax year
- Electoral register entry OR NHS medical card or letter of confirmation from GP's practice of registration with the surgery
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# The Green Hill, 1 Cambridge Road, Linton, Cambridge, CB21 4NN

# Guide Price\* £375,000+

- Prominent and substantial 3 storey building
- Currently used as offices
- Planning permission for conversion to large residential house
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

A rare opportunity to purchase a substantial 3 storey property in the heart of the popular village of Linton. The building, which features rendered brick walls beneath pitched roofs was previously a popular village pub, is currently configured as good quality office space, but could suit a variety of alternate uses STP.

The building was fully refurbished approximately 20 years ago, with upgrades made to the structure and levels of insulation, along with the services within the building. The current layout is as follows:

Ground Floor: Entrance hall, cloakroom, 3 large office areas, shower room and services cupboard with boiler.

First Floor: Landing area gives access to 4 separate offices, kitchen area and cloakroom.

Second Floor: Further meeting room is positioned within the attic space.

The gross internal floor area of the property (inc cellar) is approximately 233m<sup>2</sup> (2,510ft<sup>2</sup>).

Outside: The property enjoys vehicular access from Cambridge Road which leads to a substantial tarmac parking and turning area with grassed area to rear, along with an enclosed yard to the rear of the accommodation. EPC Rating- D

### Location

The village of Linton lies approximately 8 miles south east of Cambridge city centre and benefits from a wide range of shops, facilities, services and transport links to Cambridge.

The subject property occupies a prominent position on Cambridge Road (A1307) opposite the junction to the High Street (B1052).

# **Auctioneers Note**

The completion period for the property is 25 working days from the date of the auction.

# VAT

VAT is payable on the purchase price.





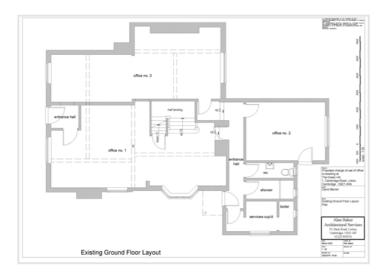


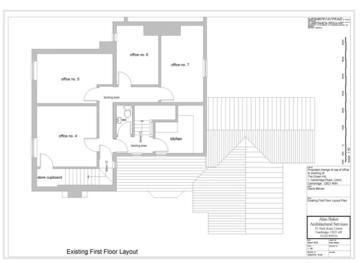
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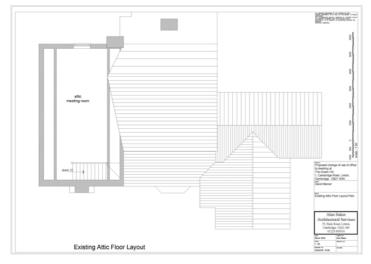
The property benefits from the granting of prior approval for the change of the use from office (uses class B1(A)) use to a use falling within use class C3 (dwelling house). Full details of the prior approval decision dated 10th august 2022 can be found on the South Cambridgeshire District Council website with planning reference 22/02818/PRIOR.

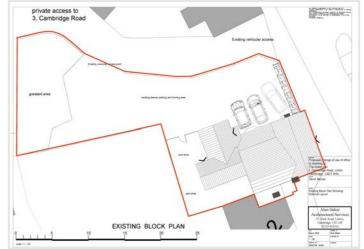
The proposed scheme features a substantial 4 bed house with Entrance, Living/Family Room, Office/Study, Snug/TV Room, Kitchen/Breakfast Room, Shower Room, Cloakroom and Utility Room at ground floor. At first floor there are 3 large Bedrooms with 1 En-suite, 1 family Bathroom and a further Cloakroom, whilst there is a further Bedroom within the attic space.

The planning approval therefore present buyers with a wonderful opportunity to either continue using the property within its current office use, to convert to residential use, or indeed seek permission for an alternative use STP.









**TENURE** Freehold with vacant possession

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# <sup>LOT</sup>

# Amberside, Stretham Station Road, Wilburton, Cambridgeshire CB6 3QD

# Guide Price\* £360,000+

- Substantial single storey 8 bedroom property
- Total site of 2.203 acres
- Rural location
- Possible redevelopment potential STP

# Description

An interesting opportunity to purchase a substantial single storey property of brick cavity construction beneath a pitched tiled roof.

The property is understood to have previously been used as a care facility, and may now lend itself to a similar use or a potential change of use or redevelopment STP.

The extensive accommodation includes: 8 Bedrooms, 2 Living Rooms, large Kitchen/Dining Room, Bathroom, Shower Room, En-suite and Laundry Room.

The accommodation would benefit from some upgrading and improvement, but offers buyers a wonderful chance to tailor the substantial property to their needs.

The gross internal area of the accommodation is approximately 289m<sup>2</sup> (3,114ft<sup>2</sup>).

EPC - D. Council Tax Band - F

Outside - Amberside benefits from an irregular shaped plot which extends to approximately 2.203 acres arranged in a long thin shape.

To the rear of the accommodation is a detached garage and ample off street parking. Beyond the garage, the plot is long and thin, which is formed from a long area of disused railway which is now laid to grass with hedging to each side.

### Location

The property is located in the east side of Stretham Station Road, close to the junction with Red Fen Road, opposite and adjacent to a variety of residential and commercial properties.

The property lies to the east of the main village of Wilburton and approximately half a mile north of the village of Stretham, which offers a range of local amenities. The nearby A10 trunk road gives access to Ely (north) and Cambridge (south).

TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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Floor Plan - Not to scale

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# <sup>LOT</sup>

# Coveney Methodist Church, Main Street, Coveney, Cambridgeshire CB6 2DJ

# Guide Price\* £120,000-£150,000

- Development opportunity of detached former Methodist Chapel
- Good location within village
- Suitable for conversion STP
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

A rare opportunity to purchase a former Methodist Chapel constructed in 1847, located within the Cambridgeshire village of Coveney. The property offers a wonderful opportunity for conversion subject to planning permission, with far reaching views to Ely Cathedral.

The Chapel is of brick construction, under a pitched slate roof with a rear extension. The current building provides an entrance porch, main hall, meeting room, kitchen area, toilet and garden store. The total internal area extends to approx. 102 sq.m.

The property is situated within a plot extending to approximately 412m2 (0.10 acres) which also includes an area of grass to the rear of the property. The plot is bounded by hedgerows to the southwest and northwest.

# Wayleaves, Easements, Covenants and Rights of Way

The purchaser will be required to construct the boundary fence between the property and the burial plots retained by the Vendor.

The land is sold subject to and with the benefit of any wayleaves, easements, covenants and rights-of-way that may exist. Please refer to the Auction Legal Pack for details.

# Location

The property is situated in the centre of the village of Coveney, with access directly off Main Street. Coveney is situated some 4.5 miles West of the city of Ely, with good access to the A10 road network.

Postcode: CB6 2DJ.

What3words: scooter.withdrew.lecturers







TENURE: Freehold with vacant possession

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# 8 Globe Lane, Littleport, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB6 1PW

# Guide Price\* £250,000+

- Residential investment opportunity producing £32,760 pa
- Arranged as a 5 bed licenced HMO and separate 1 bed flat
- Central location
- Freehold

# Description

An excellent chance to acquire a substantial residential property occupying a corner position in the heart of the popular town of Littleport, just north of Ely. The property is of brick wall construction (in part painted cream) beneath pitched slate covered roofs and green painted timber framed windows.

The property is configured to provide a 5 bedroom licenced HMO (No.8), with a further self-contained 1 bed flat/annex (known as 8A/Globe Lodge).

The internal accommodation of No. 8 comprises: Ground Floor: Entrance; communal Lounge with laminate floor; communal Kitchen with tiled floor, a range of MDF base and wall units, dual aspect windows; rear Lobby with access to rear garden; Bedroom 1; Bedroom 2; Cloakroom with WC, sink.

First Floor: Landing; Bedroom 3 with fitted carpet, cupboards and wash hand basin; Bedroom 4 with fitted carpet, cupboard and wash hand basin; Bedroom 5 with fitted carpet and pair of cupboards and window to front; Shower Room with shower cubicle, wash hand basin, WC and lino floor; Bathroom with WC, wash hand basin and bath.

The self-contained flat (known as 8A/Globe Lodge) is attached to the right hand side of the main property and provides the following accommodation: Ground Floor: Entrance; Lounge with fitted carpet, dual aspect windows and stairs to first floor; Kitchen with tiled floor and a range of MDF base and wall units; Bathroom with WC, wash hand basin and bath, with tiled floor and walls.

First Floor: Double bedroom with 2 built-in cupboards and window to side.

The gross internal area of the HMO is approximately 128m<sup>2</sup>, while the gross internal area of the selfcontained flat is 42m<sup>2</sup>. Therefore the over all gross internal area of No.8 and 8A is approximately 170m<sup>2</sup> (1,830ft<sup>2</sup>).

New boiler fitted in 2018, along with fire alarm system and carpets.

Outside: To the rear of the property is a small courtyard-style garden with astro-turf area and perimeter flower beds. There is an area for bicycle storage.

Council Tax Band E. EPC Rating E.







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Room	Rent per annum	Tenancy state date
1	4940	October 2018
2	4940	September 2022
3	5200	July 2021
4	4940	May 2022
5	4940	December 2019 ECDC sponsored
6	7800	October 2017 ECDC sponsored
Total	32,760	

All rents paid directly to landlord and include utilities.

All rents will be rising £5 per week from October (£34,320pa)

### Location

8 & 8A Globe Lane is located in the heart of the large village of Littleport, just a short walk from the Co-op convenience store and the range of shops, facilities and services that are found in the village centre.

The village lies approximately 6 miles north east of Ely. Littleport has its own railway station on the Fen Line with services to and from London Kings Cross Station. Littleport also enjoys easy access to the A10 trunk road which leads to both Ely and Cambridge and to the south.



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# <sup>LOT</sup>

# 23-35 Market Street, Soham, Ely, Cambridgeshire CB7 5JG

# Guide Price\* £430,000+

- 8 Flats
- Current Rental Income £43,500 per annum
- Fully Let
- Freehold

# Description

Situated just off Soham High Street in the heart of the town, the property comprises a two storey building which has been converted to provide 8 individual flats.

The property has historically maintained good occupancy rates with a number of the tenants having rented for many years.

The property offers opportunities to carry out improvement works and further enhance the rental income.

All flats are Council Tax Band A.

Flat	Floor Area sq.m	Bedrooms	Rent PCM	EPC Band
23	41.7	2	£400	C (70)
23a	49.9	1	£375	G (17)
25	41.6	1	£400	D (67)
27	40.1	1	£500	D (63)
29	38.5	1	£425	C (76)
31	40.7	1	£450	E (52)
33	48.3	1	£475	D (58)
35	53.9	2	£600	F (37)
Total			£3,625	

### Location

Soham is located just off the A142 between Ely and Newmarket. Road links are good with the A142 providing access to Ely to the north and to junction 37 of the A14, 5 miles to the south at Newmarket which interlinks well into the larger surrounding towns of Cambridge and Bury St Edmunds.

The new Soham train station was constructed and opened in December 2021, enhancing travel connections to Soham. The station is on the Ipswich to Ely line, thereby offering services to Ely, Peterborough, Bury St Edmunds, Ipswich amongst others.

The property is situated on Market Street, at the junction with Paddock Street adjacent to other residential properties.

TENURE: Freehold subject to tenancy

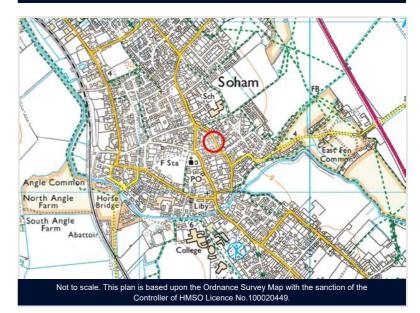
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# Guide Price\* £125,000+

- Detached bungalow in need of full refurbishment
- Potential to demolish and replace (STP)
- Generous plot
- Freehold with vacant possession

# Description

A wonderful opportunity to purchase a dilapidated bungalow occupying a generous plot, in the heart of the popular village of Wistow.

The property features a detached bungalow understood to date from the 1940's of non-standard construction, which would lend itself to replacement (STP), or a full refurbishment and upgrading of the existing structure. 5 Oaklands Avenue therefore offers a wonderful opportunity to owner occupiers and developer buyers alike.

The internal accommodation of the existing bungalow is as follows:

Entrance Porch; Living Room; Dining Area; Garden Room; Bedroom 1; Bedroom 2; Kitchen; Bathroom; Utility Room. The gross internal area of the property is approximately 103m<sup>2</sup>.

Outside - the bungalow benefits from a detached garage of concrete panel construction.

To the front of the property is driveway parking and a modest lawn area featuring a Silver Birch tree. To the rear is a generous garden which is partly laid to lawn and in part features a number of beds and timber sheds, along with a small area of orchard to the rear. To the side of the dwelling is a tall metal mast which is understood to have been used for radio communication by the previous owner.

The property is in need of full and extensive refurbishment and may lend itself to replacement with 1 or more dwellings (STP), which presents buyers with a ideal opportunity to tailor the property to their needs.

Council Tax Band: C EPC Rating: TBC

# Location

5 Oaklands Avenue is located on the north side of the small village of Wistow, adjacent to the playing fields/recreation area. The village itself lies approximately 6 miles to the north of Huntingdon and 4 miles south of the market town of Ramsey.

**TENURE:** Freehold with vacant possession **LEGAL PACK: VIEWING:** Cheffins Property Auction Dept 01223 213777







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# How to bid

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The auctioneer will still conduct the auction via a live online video feed, and bidders will **ONLY** be able to bid by one of the following methods:



# ONLINE

Submitting the Cheffins bidding registration form



# **PROXY BID**

Submitting the Cheffins bidding registration form



# All bidding methods will require:

- Interested parties to register with the auction team at least 48 HOURS BEFORE THE AUCTION (and the earlier the better).
- We must receive a deposit prior to the auction, this being 10% of the guide price (subject to a minimum of £3,000) plus a Buyer's Administration Fee of £600 inc VAT.
- Please transfer the deposit amount to Cheffins Clients Account 20-17-68, 03914062 using the Lot Number and your Surname as the reference.
- Bidders will need to complete registration forms, prove their identity before the auction, and transfer the deposit, only then will their application to bid be accepted
- Should the winning bid be more than the guide price, the additional 10% deposit is required within 24hrs of the auction.

The auction team will be very happy to talk you through the bidding options available. Please call **01223 213777 Option 1** to speak to the auction team.

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#### GLOSSARY

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#### This glossary applies to the AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS and the SALE CONDITIONS.

The laws of England and Wales apply to the CONDITIONS and YOU, WE, the SELLER and the BUYER all submit to the jurisdiction of the Courts of England and Wales.

Wherever it makes sense:

- singular words can be read as plurals, and plurals as singular words;
- a "person" includes a corporate body;
- · words of one gender include the other genders;
- references to legislation are to that legislation as it may have been modified or re-enacted by the date of the AUCTION or the CONTRACT DATE (as applicable); and
- where the following words appear in small capitals they have the specified meanings.

#### ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE

The date when COMPLETION takes place or is treated as taking place for the purposes of apportionment and calculating interest.

#### ADDENDUM

An amendment or addition to the CONDITIONS or to the PARTICULARS or to both whether contained in a supplement to the CATALOGUE, a written notice from the AUCTIONEERS or an oral announcement at the AUCTION.

#### Agreed COMPLETION Date

Subject to CONDITION G9.3

- a) the date specified in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS; or b) if no date is specified. 20 BUSINESS DAYS after the
- CONTRACT DATE; but if that date is not a BUSINESS DAY the first subsequent BUSINESS DAY.

#### Approved Financial Institution

Any bank or building society that is regulated by a competent UK regulatory authority or is otherwise acceptable to the AUCTIONEERS.

#### ARREARS

ARREARS of rent and other sums due under the TENANCIES and still outstanding on the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE.

The ARREARS schedule (if any) forming part of the SPECIAL

#### **ARREARS** Schedule

CONDITIONS.

### AUCTION

The AUCTION advertised in the CATALOGUE.

#### AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS

The conditions so headed, including any extra AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS.

#### AUCTIONEERS

The AUCTIONEERS at the AUCTION.

#### BUSINESS DAY

Any day except (a) Saturday or Sunday or (b) a bank or public holiday in England and Wales.

#### BUYER

The person who agrees to buy the LOT or, if applicable, that person's personal representatives: if two or more are jointly the BUYER their obligations can be enforced against them jointly or against each of them separately.

#### Catalogue

The catalogue for the AUCTION as it exists at the date of the AUCTION (or, if the catalogue is then different, the date of the CONTRACT) including any ADDENDUM and whether printed or made available electronically.

#### COMPLETION

Unless the SELLER and the BUYER otherwise agree, the occasion when they have both complied with the obligations under the CONTRACT that they are obliged to comply with prior to COMPLETION, and the amount payable on COMPLETION has been unconditionally received in the SELLER's conveyancer's client account (or as otherwise required by the terms of the CONTRACT).

#### Condition

One of the AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS or SALE CONDITIONS.

#### CONTRACT

The CONTRACT by which the SELLER agrees to sell and the BUYER agrees to buy the LOT.

#### CONTRACT DATE

The date of the AUCTION or, if the LOT is sold before or after the AUCTION:

- a) the date of the SALE MEMORANDUM signed by both the SELLER and BUYER; or
- b) if CONTRACTs are exchanged, the date of exchange. If exchange is not affected in person or by an irrevocable agreement to exchange made by telephone, fax or electronic mail the date of exchange is the date on which both parts have been signed and posted or otherwise placed beyond normal retrieval.

#### DOCUMENTS

DOCUMENTS of title including, if title is registered, the entries on the register and the title plan and other DOCUMENTS listed or referred to in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS relating to the LOT (apart from FINANCIAL CHARGES).

#### EXTRA GENERAL CONDITIONS

Any CONDITIONS added or varied by the AUCTIONEERS starting at CONDITION G30.

#### Financial Charge

A charge to secure a loan or other financial indebtedness (but not including a rent charge or local land charge).

#### General Conditions

The SALE CONDITIONS headed 'GENERAL CONDITIONS OF SALE', including any EXTRA GENERAL CONDITIONS.

#### INTEREST RATE

If not specified in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS, the higher of 6% and 4% above the base rate from time to time of Barclays Bank plc. The INTEREST RATE will also apply to any judgment debt, unless the statutory rate is higher.

#### LOT

Each separate property described in the CATALOGUE or (as the case may be) the property that the SELLER has agreed to sell and the BUYER to buy (including chattels, if any).

#### Old ARREARS

ARREARS due under any of the TENANCIES that are not "new TENANCIES" as defined by the Landlord and Tenant (Covenants) Act 1995.

#### PARTICULARS

The section of the CATALOGUE that contains descriptions of each LOT (as varied by any ADDENDUM).

#### PRACTITIONER

An insolvency PRACTITIONER for the purposes of the Insolvency Act 1986 (or, in relation to jurisdictions outside the United Kingdom, a person undertaking a similar role).

#### PRICE

The PRICE (exclusive of VAT) that the BUYER agrees to pay for the LOT.

#### Ready To Complete

Ready, willing and able to complete: if COMPLETION would enable the SELLER to discharge all FINANCIAL CHARGES secured on the LOT that have to be discharged by COMPLETION, then those outstanding financial charges do not prevent the SELLER from being READY TO COMPLETE.

#### SALE CONDITIONS

The GENERAL CONDITIONS as varied by any SPECIAL CONDITIONS or ADDENDUM.

#### SALE MEMORANDUM

The form so headed (whether or not set out in the CATALOGUE) in which the terms of the CONTRACT for the sale of the LOT are recorded.

#### SELLER

The person selling the LOT. If two or more are jointly the SELLER their obligations can be enforced against them jointly or against each of them separately.

#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS

Those of the SALE CONDITIONS so headed that relate to the LOT.

#### TENANCIES

TENANCIES, leases, licences to occupy and agreements for lease and any DOCUMENTS varying or supplemental to them.

#### TENANCY SCHEDULE

The schedule of TENANCIES (if any) forming part of the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.

#### TRANSFER

TRANSFER includes a conveyance or assignment (and "to TRANSFER" includes "to convey" or "to assign").

#### TUPE

The TRANSFER of Undertakings (Protection of Employment) Regulations 2006.

#### VAT

Value Added Tax or other tax of a similar nature.

VAT OPTION

An option to tax.

#### WE (and US and OUR) The AUCTIONEERS.

#### YOU (and YOUR)

Someone who has seen the CATALOGUE or who attends or bids at or otherwise participates in the AUCTION, whether or not a BUYER.

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### AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS

#### A1 Introduction

- A1.1 The AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS apply wherever the LOT is located.
- A1.2 If YOU make a bid for a LOT or otherwise participate in the AUCTION it is on the basis that YOU accept these AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS. They govern OUR relationship with YOU. They can be varied only if WE agree.

#### A2 OUR role

Words in small capitals have the special meanings defined in the Glossary.

The AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS (as supplemented or varied by CONDITION A6, if applicable) are a compulsory section of the Common AUCTION Conditions. They cannot be disapplied or varied without OUR agreement, even by a CONDITION purporting to replace the Common AUCTION

- (a) prepare the CATALOGUE from information supplied by or on behalf of each SELLER;
- (b) offer each LOT for sale;
- (c) sell each LOT;
- (d) receive and hold deposits;
- (e) sign each SALE MEMORANDUM; and
- (f) treat a CONTRACT as repudiated if the BUYER fails to sign a SALE MEMORANDUM or pay a deposit as required by these AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS or fails to provide identification as required by the AUCTIONEERS.
- A2.2 OUR decision on the conduct of the AUCTION is final.
- A2.3 WE may cancel the AUCTION or alter the order in which LOTS are offered for sale. WE may also combine or divide LOTS. A LOT may be sold or withdrawn from sale prior to the AUCTION.
- A2.4 YOU acknowledge that to the extent permitted by law WE owe YOU no duty of care and YOU have no claim against US for any loss.
- A2.5 WE may refuse to admit one or more persons to the AUCTION without having to explain why.
- A2.6 YOU may not be allowed to bid unless YOU provide such evidence of YOUR identity and other information as WE reasonably require from all bidders.

#### A3 Bidding and reserve PRICEs

- A3.1 All bids are to be made in pounds sterling exclusive of VAT.
- A3.2 WE may refuse to accept a bid. WE do not have to explain why.
- A3.3 If there is a dispute over bidding WE are entitled to resolve it, and OUR decision is final.
- A3.4 Unless stated otherwise each LOT is subject to a reserve PRICE (which may be fixed just before the LOT is offered for sale). If no bid equals or exceeds that reserve PRICE, the LOT will be withdrawn from the AUCTION.
- A3.5 Where there is a reserve PRICE the SELLER may bid (or ask US or another agent to bid on the SELLER's behalf) up to the reserve PRICE but may not make a bid equal to or exceeding the reserve PRICE. YOU accept that it is possible that all bids up to the reserve PRICE are bids made by or on behalf of the SELLER.
- A4 The PARTICULARS and other information
- A4.1 WE have taken reasonable care to prepare PARTICULARS that correctly describe each LOT. The PARTICULARS are based on information supplied by or on behalf of the SELLER. YOU need to check that the information in the PARTICULARS is correct.
- A4.2 If the SPECIAL CONDITIONS do not contain a description of the LOT, or simply refer to the relevant LOT number, you take the risk that the description contained in the PARTICULARS is incomplete or inaccurate, as the PARTICULARS have not been prepared by a conveyancer and are not intended to form part of a legal CONTRACT.
- A4.3 The PARTICULARS and the SALE CONDITIONS may change prior to the AUCTION and it is YOUR responsibility to check that YOU have the correct versions.
- A4.4 If WE provide information, or a copy of a DOCUMENT, WE do so only on the basis that WE are not responsible for the accuracy of that information or DOCUMENT.

#### A5 The CONTRACT

- A5.1 A successful bid is one WE accept as such (normally on the fall of the hammer). This CONDITION A5 applies to YOU only if YOU make the successful bid for a LOT. Conditions in their entirety.
- A2.1 As agents for each SELLER we have authority to
- A5.2 YOU are obliged to buy the LOT on the terms of the SALE MEMORANDUM at the PRICE YOU bid (plus VAT, if applicable).
- A5.3 YOU must before leaving the AUCTION
  - (a) provide all information WE reasonably need from YOU to enable US to complete the SALE MEMORANDUM (including proof of your identity if required by US);
  - (b) sign the completed SALE MEMORANDUM; and
     (c) pay the deposit.
- A5.4 If YOU do not WE may either

A5.5

- (a) as agent for the SELLER treat that failure as YOUR repudiation of the CONTRACT and offer the LOT for sale again: the SELLER may then have a claim against YOU for breach of CONTRACT, or
- (b) sign the SALE MEMORANDUM on YOUR behalf. The deposit
- (a) must be paid in pounds sterling by cheque or by bankers' draft made payable to US (or, at OUR option, the SELLER'S conveyancer) drawn on an APPROVED FINANCIAL INSTITUTION (CONDITION A6 may state if WE accept any other form of payment);
- (b) may be declined by US unless drawn on YOUR account, or that of the BUYER, or of another person who (we are satisfied) would not expose US to a breach of money laundering regulations;
- (c) is to be held by US (or, at OUR option, the SELLER'S conveyancer); and
- (d) is to be held as stakeholder where VAT would be chargeable on the deposit were it to be held as agent for the SELLER, but otherwise is to be held as stakeholder unless the SALE CONDITIONS require it to be held as agent for the SELLER.
- A5.6 WE may retain the SALE MEMORANDUM signed by or on behalf of the SELLER until the deposit has been received in cleared funds.
- A5.7 Where WE hold the deposit as stakeholder WE are authorised to release it (and interest on it if applicable) to the SELLER on COMPLETION or, if COMPLETION does not take place, to the person entitled to it under the SALE CONDITIONS.
- A5.8 If the BUYER does not comply with its obligations under the CONTRACT then
  - (a) YOU are personally liable to buy the LOT even if YOU are acting as an agent; and
  - (b) YOU must indemnify the SELLER in respect of any loss the SELLER incurs as a result of the BUYER's default.
- A5.9 Where the BUYER is a company YOU warrant that the BUYER is properly constituted and able to buy the LOT.
- A6 Extra Auction Conduct Conditions A6.1 Despite any SPECIAL CONDITION to the contrary the minimum deposit WE accept is £.....(or the total PRICE, if less). A SPECIAL CONDITION may, however, require a higher minimum deposit.

#### **GENERAL CONDITIONS OF SALE**

- G1 The LOT
- G1.1 The LOT (including any rights to be granted or reserved, and any exclusions from it) is described in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS, or if not so described is that referred to in the SALE MEMORANDUM.
- G1.2 The LOT is sold subject to any TENANCIES disclosed by the SPECIAL CONDITIONS, but otherwise with vacant possession on COMPLETION.
- G1.3 The LOT is sold subject to all matters contained or referred to in the DOCUMENTS. The SELLER must discharge FINANCIAL CHARGES on or before COMPLETION.
- G1.4 The LOT is also sold subject to such of the following
- G1.5 Where anything subject to which the LOT is sold would expose the SELLER to liability the BUYER is to comply with it and indemnify the SELLER against that liability.

- G1.6 The SELLER must notify the BUYER of any notices, orders, demands, proposals and requirements of any competent authority of which it learns after the CONTRACT DATE but the BUYER must comply with them and keep the SELLER indemnified.
- G1.7 The LOT does not include any tenant's or trade fixtures or fittings. The SPECIAL CONDITIONS state whether any chattels are included in the LOT, but if they are:
  - (a) the BUYER takes them as they are at COMPLETION and the SELLER is not liable if they are not fit for use, and
- (b) the SELLER is to leave them at the LOT.G1.8 The BUYER buys with full knowledge of
  - The BUYER buys with full knowledge of (a) the DOCUMENTS, whether or not the BUYER has read them; and
  - (b) the physical condition of the LOT and what could reasonably be discovered on inspection of it, whether or not the BUYER has inspected it.
- G19 The BUYER admits that it is not relying on the information contained in the PARTICULARS or on any representations made by or on behalf of the SELLER, but the BUYER may rely on the SELLER's conveyancer's written replies to written enquiries to the extent stated in those replies.

#### G2 Deposit

- G2.1 The amount of the deposit is the greater of:
   (a) any minimum deposit stated in the AUCTION CONDUCT CONDITIONS (or the total PRICE, if this is less than that minimum); and
  - (b) 10% of the PRICE (exclusive of any VAT on the PRICE).
- G2.2 If a cheque for all or part of the deposit is not cleared on first presentation the SELLER may treat the CONTRACT as at an end and bring a claim against the BUYER for breach of CONTRACT.
- G2.3 Interest earned on the deposit belongs to the SELLER unless the SALE CONDITIONS provide otherwise.

#### G3 Between CONTRACT and COMPLETION

- G3.1 From the CONTRACT DATE the SELLER has no obligation to insure the LOT and the BUYER bears all risks of loss or damage unless
  - (a) the LOT is sold subject to a TENANCY that requires the SELLER to insure the LOT or
  - (b) the SPECIAL CONDITIONS require the SELLER to insure the LOT.
- G3.2 If the SELLER is required to insure the LOT then the SELLER
  - (a) must produce to the BUYER on request all relevant insurance details;
  - (b) must use reasonable endeavours to maintain that or equivalent insurance and pay the premiums when due;
  - (c) gives no warranty as to the adequacy of the insurance;
  - (d) must at the request of the BUYER use reasonable endeavours to have the BUYER's interest noted on the policy if it does not cover a contracting purchaser;
  - (e) must, unless otherwise agreed, cancel the insurance at COMPLETION, apply for a refund of premium and (subject to the rights of any tenant or other third party) pay that refund to the BUYER; and
  - (f) (subject to the rights of any tenant or other third party) hold on trust for the BUYER any insurance payments that the SELLER receives in respect of loss or damage arising after the CONTRACT DATE, or assign to the BUYER the benefit of any claim; and the BUYER must on COMPLETION reimburse to the SELLER the cost of that insurance as from the CONTRACT DATE (to the extent not already paid by the BUYER or a tenant or other third party).
- G3.3 No damage to or destruction of the LOT, nor any deterioration in its condition, however caused, entitles the BUYER to any reduction in PRICE, or to delay COMPLETION, or to refuse to complete.
- G3.4 Section 47 of the Law of Property Act 1925 does not apply to the CONTRACT.
- G3.5 Unless the BUYER is already lawfully in occupation of the LOT the BUYER has no right to enter into occupation prior to COMPLETION.

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#### G4 Title and identity

- G4.1 Unless CONDITION G4.2 applies, the BUYER accepts the title of the SELLER to the LOT as at the CONTRACT DATE and may raise no requisition or objection to any of the DOCUMENTS that is made available before the AUCTION or any other matter, except one that occurs after the CONTRACT DATE.
- G4.2 The following provisions apply only to any of the following DOCUMENTS that is not made available before the AUCTION:
  - (a) If the LOT is registered land the SELLER is to give to the BUYER within five BUSINESS DAYS of the CONTRACT DATE an official copy of the entries on the register and title plan and, where noted on the register, of all DOCUMENTS subject to which the LOT is being sold.
  - (b) If the LOT is not registered land the SELLER is to give to the BUYER within five BUSINESS DAYS of the CONTRACT DATE an abstract or epitome of title starting from the root of title mentioned in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS (or, if none is mentioned, a good root of title more than fitteen years old) and must produce to the BUYER the original or an examined copy of every relevant DOCUMENT.
  - (c) If title is in the course of registration, title is to consist of:
    - certified copies of the application for registration of title made to the Land Registry and of the DOCUMENTS accompanying that application;
  - (ii) evidence that all applicable stamp duty land tax relating to that application has been paid; and
  - (iii) a letter under which the SELLER or its conveyancer agrees to use all reasonable endeavours to answer any requisitions raised by the Land Registry and to instruct the Land Registry to send the completed registration DOCUMENTS to the BUYER.
  - (d) The BUYER has no right to object to or make requisitions on any title information more than seven BUSINESS DAYS after that information has been given to the BUYER.
- G4.3 Unless otherwise stated in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS the SELLER sells with full title guarantee except that (and the TRANSFER shall so provide):
  - (a) the covenant set out in section 3 of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1994 shall not extend to matters recorded in registers open to public inspection; these are to be treated as within the actual knowledge of the BUYER; and
  - (b) the covenant set out in section 4(1)(b) of the Law of Property (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1994 shall not extend to any condition or tenant's obligation relating to the state or condition of the LOT where the LOT is leasehold property.
- G4.4 The TRANSFER is to have effect as if expressly subject to all matters subject to which the LOT is sold under the CONTRACT.
- G4.5 The SELLER does not have to produce, nor may the BUYER object to or make a requisition in relation to, any prior or superior title even if it is referred to in the DOCUMENTS, as may affect it, whether they arise before or after the CONTRACT DATE and whether or not they are disclosed by the SELLER or are apparent from inspection of the LOT or from the DOCUMENTS:
  - (a) matters registered or capable of registration as local land charges;
  - (b) matters registered or capable of registration by any competent authority or under the provisions of any statute;
  - (c) notices, orders, demands, proposals and requirements of any competent authority;
  - (d) charges, notices, orders, restrictions, agreements and other matters relating to town and country planning, highways or public health;
  - (e) rights, easements, quasi-easements, and wayleaves;
  - (f) outgoings and other liabilities;
  - (g) any interest which overrides, under the Land Registration Act 2002;
  - (h) matters that ought to be disclosed by the searches and enquiries a prudent BUYER would make, whether or not the BUYER has made them; and
  - (i) anything the SELLER does not and could not reasonably know about.

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The GENERAL CONDITIONS (as WE supplement or change them by any EXTRA GENERAL CONDITIONS or ADDENDUM) are compulsory but may be disapplied or changed in relation to one or more LOTS by SPECIAL CONDITIONS. The template form of SALE MEMORANDUM is not compulsory but is to be varied only if WE agree. The template forms of SPECIAL CONDITIONS and schedules are recommended but are not compulsory and may be changed by the SELLER of a LOT.

- G4.6 The SELLER (and, if relevant, the BUYER) must produce to each other such confirmation of, or evidence of, their identity and that of their mortgagees and attorneys (if any) as is necessary for the other to be able to comply with applicable Money Laundering Regulations and Land Registry Rules.
- G5 TRANSFER
- G5.1 Unless a form of TRANSFER is prescribed by the SPECIAL CONDITIONS
  - (a) the BUYER must supply a draft TRANSFER to the SELLER at least ten BUSINESS DAYS before the AGREED COMPLETION DATE and the engrossment (signed as a deed by the BUYER if CONDITION G5.2 applies) five BUSINESS DAYS before that date or (if later) two BUSINESS DAYS ofter the draft has been approved by the SELLER; and
  - (b) the SELLER must approve or revise the draft TRANSFER within five BUSINESS DAYS of receiving it from the BUYER.
- G5.2 If the SELLER has any liability (other than to the BUYER) in relation to the LOT or a TENANCY following COMPLETION, the BUYER is specifically to covenant in the TRANSFER to indemnify the SELLER against that liability.
- G5.3 The SELLER cannot be required to TRANSFER the LOT to anyone other than the BUYER, or by more than one TRANSFER.
- G5.4 Where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS state that the SELLER is to grant a new lease to the BUYER
  - (a) the CONDITIONS are to be read so that the TRANSFER refers to the new lease, the SELLER to the proposed landlord and the BUYER to the proposed tenant;
  - (b) the form of new lease is that described by the SPECIAL CONDITIONS; and
  - (c) the SELLER is to produce, at least five BUSINESS DAYS before the AGREED COMPLETION DATE, the engrossed counterpart lease, which the BUYER is to sign and deliver to the SELLER on COMPLETION.

#### G6 COMPLETION

- G6.1 COMPLETION is to take place at the offices of the SELLER'S conveyancer, or where the SELLER may reasonably require, on the AGREED COMPLETION DATE. The SELLER can only be required to complete on a BUSINESS DAY and between the hours of 0930 and 1700.
- G6.2 The amount payable on COMPLETION is the balance of the PRICE adjusted to take account of apportionments plus (if applicable) VAT and interest, but no other amounts unless specified in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G6.3 Payment is to be made in pounds sterling and only by (a) direct TRANSFER from the BUYER's conveyancer to the SELLER'S conveyancer; and
  - (b) the release of any deposit held by a stakeholder or in such other manner as the SELLER'S conveyancer may agree.
- G6.4 Unless the SELLER and the BUYER otherwise agree, COMPLETION cannot take place until both have complied with the obligations under the CONTRACT that they are obliged to comply with prior to COMPLETION, and the amount payable on COMPLETION is unconditionally received in the SELLER'S conveyancer's client account or as otherwise required by the terms of the CONTRACT.
- G6.5 If COMPLETION takes place after 1400 hours for a reason other than the SELLER'S default it is to be treated, for the purposes of apportionment and calculating interest, as if it had taken place on the next BUSINESS DAY.
- G6.6 Where applicable the CONTRACT remains in force following COMPLETION.

#### G7 Notice to complete

G7.1 The SELLER or the BUYER may on or after the AGREED COMPLETION DATE but before COMPLETION give the other notice to complete within ten BUSINESS DAYS (excluding the date on which the notice is given) making time of the essence.

- G7.2 The person giving the notice must be READY TO COMPLETE.
- G7.3 If the BUYER fails to comply with a notice to complete the SELLER may, without affecting any other remedy the SELLER has:
  - (a) terminate the CONTRACT;
  - (b) claim the deposit and any interest on it if held by a stakeholder;
  - (c) forfeit the deposit and any interest on it;
  - (d) resell the LOT; and
  - (e) claim damages from the BUYER.
- G7.4 If the SELLER fails to comply with a notice to complete the BUYER may, without affecting any other remedy the BUYER has:
  - (a) terminate the CONTRACT; and
  - (b) recover the deposit and any interest on it from the SELLER or, if applicable, a stakeholder.

#### G8 If the CONTRACT is brought to an end

- If the CONTRACT is lawfully brought to an end: (a) the BUYER must return all papers to the SELLER and appoints the SELLER its agent to cancel any registration of the CONTRACT; and
- (b) the SELLER must return the deposit and any interest on it to the BUYER (and the BUYER may claim it from the stakeholder, if applicable) unless the SELLER is entitled to forfeit the deposit under CONDITION 67.3.

#### G9 Landlord's licence

- G9.1 Where the LOT is or includes leasehold land and licence to assign or sublet is required this CONDITION G9 applies.
- G92 The CONTRACT is conditional on that licence being obtained, by way of formal licence if that is what the landlord lawfully requires.
- G9.3 The AGREED COMPLETION DATE is not to be earlier than the date five BUSINESS DAYS after the SELLER has given notice to the BUYER that licence has been obtained ("licence notice").

#### G9.4 The SELLER must

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- (a) use all reasonable endeavours to obtain the licence at the SELLER'S expense; and
- (b) enter into any Authorised Guarantee Agreement ("AGA") properly required (procuring a guarantee of that AGA if lawfully required by the landlord).

#### The BUYER must promptly

- (a) provide references and other relevant information; and
- (b) comply with the landlord's lawful requirements.
- G9.6 If within three months of the CONTRACT DATE (or such longer period as the SELLER and BUYER agree) the SELLER has not given licence notice to the BUYER the SELLER or the BUYER may (if not then in breach of any obligation under this CONDITION G9) by notice to the other terminate the CONTRACT at any time before the SELLER has given licence notice. That termination is without prejudice to the claims of either SELLER or BUYER for breach of this CONDITION G9.

#### G10 Interest and apportionments

- G10.1 If the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE is after the AGREED COMPLETION DATE for any reason other than the SELLER'S default the BUYER must pay interest at the INTEREST RATE on the money due from the BUYER at COMPLETION for the period starting on the AGREED COMPLETION DATE and ending on the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE.
- G10.2 Subject to CONDITION G11 the SELLER is not obliged to apportion or account for any sum at COMPLETION unless the SELLER has received that sum in cleared funds. The SELLER must promptly pay to the BUYER after COMPLETION any sum to which the BUYER is entitled that the SELLER subsequently receives in cleared funds.
- G10.3 Income and outgoings are to be apportioned at the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE unless:
  - (a) the  $\operatorname{BUYER}$  is liable to pay interest; and
  - (b) the SELLER has given notice to the BUYER at any time up to COMPLETION requiring apportionment on the date from which interest becomes payable by the BUYER; in which event income and outgoings are to be apportioned on the date from which interest becomes payable by the BUYER.

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- G10.4 Apportionments are to be calculated on the basis that:
  - (a) the SELLER receives income and is liable for outgoings for the whole of the day on which apportionment is to be made;
  - (b) annual income and expenditure accrues at an equal daily rate assuming 365 days in a year (or 366 in a leap year), and income and expenditure relating to some other period accrues at an equal daily rate during the period to which it relates; and
  - (c) where the amount to be apportioned is not known at COMPLETION apportionment is to be made by reference to a reasonable estimate and further payment is to be made by SELLER or BUYER as appropriate within five BUSINESS DAYS of the date when the amount is known.
- G10.5 If a payment due from the BUYER to the SELLER on or after COMPLETION is not paid by the due date, the BUYER is to pay interest to the SELLER at the INTEREST RATE on that payment from the due date up to and including the date of payment.

#### G11. ARREARS

- Part 1 Current rent
- G11.1 "Current rent" means, in respect of each of the TENANCIES subject to which the LOT is sold, the instalment of rent and other sums payable by the tenant on the most recent rent payment date on or within four months preceding COMPLETION.
- G11.2 If on COMPLETION there are any ARREARS of current rent the BUYER must pay them, whether or not details of those ARREARS are given in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G11.3 Parts 2 and 3 of this CONDITION G11 do not apply to ARREARS of current rent.
- Part 2 BUYER to pay for ARREARS
- G11.4 Part 2 of this CONDITION G11 applies where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS give details of ARREARS.
- G11.5 The BUYER is on COMPLETION to pay, in addition to any other money then due, an amount equal to all ARREARS of which details are set out in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G11.6 If those ARREARS are not OLD ARREARS the SELLER is to assign to the BUYER all rights that the SELLER has to recover those ARREARS.
- Part 3 BUYER not to pay for ARREARS
- G11.7 Part 3 of this CONDITION G11 applies where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS
  - (a) so state; or
  - (b) give no details of any ARREARS
- G11.8 While any ARREARS due to the SELLER remain unpaid the BUYER must:
  - (a) try to collect them in the ordinary course of management but need not take legal proceedings or forfeit the TENANCY;
  - (b) pay them to the SELLER within five BUSINESS DAYS of receipt in cleared funds (plus interest at the INTEREST RATE calculated on a daily basis for each subsequent day's delay in payment);
  - (c) on request, at the cost of the SELLER, assign to the SELLER or as the SELLER may direct the right to demand and sue for OLD ARREARS, such assignment to be in such form as the SELLER'S conveyancer may reasonably require;
  - (d) if reasonably required, allow the SELLER'S conveyancer to have on loan the counterpart of any TENANCY against an undertaking to hold it to the BUYER's order;
  - (e) not without the consent of the SELLER release any tenant or surety from liability to pay ARREARS or accept a surrender of or forfeit any TENANCY under which ARREARS are due; and
  - (f) if the BUYER disposes of the LOT prior to recovery of all ARREARS obtain from the BUYER'S successor in title a covenant in favour of the SELLER in similar form to part 3 of this CONDITION G11.
- 311.9 Where the SELLER has the right to recover ARREARS it must not without the BUYER'S written consent bring insolvency proceedings against a tenant or seek the removal of goods from the LOT.

#### G12 Management

- G12.1 This CONDITION G12 applies where the LOT is sold subject to TENANCIES.
- G12.2 The SELLER is to manage the LOT in accordance with its standard management policies pending COMPLETION.

- G12.3 The SELLER must consult the BUYER on all management issues that would affect the BUYER after COMPLETION (such as, but not limited to, an application for licence; a rent review; a variation, surrender, agreement to surrender or proposed forfeiture of a TENANCY; or a new TENANCY or agreement to grant a new TENANCY) and:
  - (a) the SELLER must comply with the BUYER's reasonable requirements unless to do so would (but for the indemnity in paragraph (c)) expose the SELLER to a liability that the SELLER would not otherwise have, in which case the SELLER may act reasonably in such a way as to avoid that liability;
  - (b) if the SELLER gives the BUYER notice of the SELLER's intended act and the BUYER does not object within five BUSINESS DAYS giving reasons for the objection the SELLER may act as the SELLER intends; and
  - (c) the BUYER is to indemnify the SELLER against all loss or liability the SELLER incurs through acting as the BUYER requires, or by reason of delay caused by the BUYER.

#### G13 Rent deposits

- G13.1 Where any TENANCY is an assured shorthold TENANCY, the SELLER and the BUYER are to comply with their respective statutory duties in relation to the protection of tenants' deposits, and to demonstrate in writing to the other (before COMPLETION, so far as practicable) that they have complied.
- G13.2 The remainder of this CONDITION G13 applies where the SELLER is holding or otherwise entitled to money by way of rent deposit in respect of a TENANCY. In this CONDITION G13 "rent deposit deed" means the deed or other DOCUMENT under which the rent deposit is held.
- G13.3 If the rent deposit is not assignable the SELLER must on COMPLETION hold the rent deposit on trust for the BUYER and, subject to the terms of the rent deposit deed, comply at the cost of the BUYER with the BUYER's lawful instructions.
- G13.4 Otherwise the SELLER must on COMPLETION pay and assign its interest in the rent deposit to the BUYER under an assignment in which the BUYER covenants with the SELLER to:
  - (a) observe and perform the SELLER's covenants and conditions in the rent deposit deed and indemnify the SELLER in respect of any breach;
  - (b) give notice of assignment to the tenant; and(c) give such direct covenant to the tenant as may be required by the rent deposit deed.
- G14 VAT
- G14.1 Where a SALE CONDITION requires money to be paid or other consideration to be given, the payer must also pay any VAT that is chargeable on that money or consideration, but only if given a valid VAT invoice.
- G14.2 Where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS state that no VAT OPTION has been made the SELLER confirms that none has been made by it or by any company in the same VAT group nor will be prior to COMPLETION.

#### G15 TRANSFER as a going concern G15.1 Where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS so

- Where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS so state: (a) the SELLER and the BUYER intend, and will take all practicable steps (short of an appeal) to procure, that the sale is treated as a TRANSEER of a going concern; and (b) this CONDITION G15 applies.
- G15.2 The SELLER confirms that the SELLER:
   (a) is registered for VAT, either in the SELLER'S name or as a member of the same VAT group; and
  - (b) has (unless the sale is a standard-rated supply) made in relation to the LOT a VAT OPTION that remains valid and will not be revoked before COMPLETION.
- G15.3 The BUYER confirms that
  - (a) it is registered for VAT, either in the BUYER'S name or as a member of a VAT group;
  - (b) it has made, or will make before COMPLETION, a VAT OPTION in relation to the LOT and will not revoke it before or within three months after COMPLETION;
  - (c) article 5(2B) of the Value Added Tax (Special Provisions) Order 1995 does not apply to it; and
  - (d) it is not buying the LOT as a nominee for another person.

- G15.4 The BUYER is to give to the SELLER as early as possible before the AGREED COMPLETION DATE evidence
  - (a) of the BUYER'S VAT registration;
  - (b) that the BUYER has made a VAT OPTION; and
  - (c) that the VAT OPTION has been notified in writing to HM Revenue and Customs; and if it does not produce the relevant evidence at least two BUSINESS DAYS before the AGREED COMPLETION DATE, CONDITION G14.1 applies at COMPLETION.
- G15.5 The BUYER confirms that after COMPLETION the BUYER intends to
  - (a) retain and manage the LOT for the BUYER'S own benefit as a continuing business as a going concern subject to and with the benefit of the TENANCIES; and
  - (b) collect the rents payable under the TENANCIES and charge VAT on them.
- G15.6 If, after COMPLETION, it is found that the sale of the LOT is not a TRANSFER of a going concern then:
  - (a) the SELLER's conveyancer is to notify the BUYER's conveyancer of that finding and provide a VAT invoice in respect of the sale of the LOT;
  - (b) the BUYER must within five BUSINESS DAYS of receipt of the VAT invoice pay to the SELLER the VAT due; and
  - (c) if VAT is payable because the BUYER has not complied with this CONDITION G15, the BUYER must pay and indemnify the SELLER against all costs, interest, penalties or surcharges that the SELLER incurs as a result.

#### G16 Capital allowances

- 516.1 This CONDITION G16 applies where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS state that there are capital allowances available in respect of the LOT.
- G16.2 The SELLER is promptly to supply to the BUYER all information reasonably required by the BUYER in connection with the BUYER's claim for capital allowances.
- C16.3 The value to be attributed to those items on which capital allowances may be claimed is set out in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G16.4 The SELLER and BUYER agree:
  - (a) to make an election on COMPLETION under Section 198 of the Capital Allowances Act 2001 to give effect to this CONDITION G16; and
  - (b) to submit the value specified in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS to HM Revenue and Customs for the purposes of their respective capital allowance computations.

#### G17 Maintenance agreements

- G17.1 The SELLER agrees to use reasonable endeavours to TRANSFER to the BUYER, at the BUYER's cost, the benefit of the maintenance agreements specified in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G17.2 The BUYER must assume, and indemnify the SELLER in respect of, all liability under such agreements from the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE.
- G18 Landlord and Tenant Act 1987
- G18.1 This CONDITION G18 applies where the sale is a relevant disposal for the purposes of part I of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1987
- G18.2 The SELLER warrants that the SELLER has complied with sections SB and 7 of that Act and that the requisite majority of qualifying tenants has not accepted the offer.

#### G19 Sale by PRACTITIONER

- G19.1 This CONDITION G19 applies where the sale is by a PRACTITIONER either as SELLER or as agent of the SELLER.
- G19.2 The PRACTITIONER has been duly appointed and is empowered to sell the LOT.
- G19.3 Neither the PRACTITIONER nor the firm or any member of the firm to which the PRACTITIONER belongs has any personal liability in connection with the sale or the performance of the SELLER's obligations. The TRANSFER is to include a declaration excluding that personal liability.
- G19.4 The LOT is sold
  - (a) in its condition at COMPLETION;
  - (b) for such title as the SELLER may have; and (c) with no title guarantee; and the BUYER has no right to terminate the CONTRACT or any other remedy if information provided about the LOT is inaccurate, incomplete or missing.

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- G19.5 Where relevant:
  - (a) the DOCUMENTS must include certified copies of those under which the PRACTITIONER is appointed, the DOCUMENT of appointment and the PRACTITIONER'S acceptance of appointment; and
  - (b) the SELLER may require the TRANSFER to be by the lender exercising its power of sale under the Law of Property Act 1925.
- G19.6 The BUYER understands this CONDITION G19 and agrees that it is fair in the circumstances of a sale by a PRACTITIONER.

#### G20 TUPE

- G20.1 If the SPECIAL CONDITIONS state "there are no employees to which TUPE applies", this is a warranty by the SELLER to this effect.
- G20.2 If the SPECIAL CONDITIONS do not state "there are no employees to which TUPE applies" the following paragraphs apply:
  - (a) The SELLER must notify the BUYER of those employees whose CONTRACTs of employment will TRANSFER to the BUYER on COMPLETION (the "Transferring Employees"). This notification must be given to the BUYER not less than 14 days before COMPLETION.
  - (b) The BUYER confirms that it will comply with its obligations under TUPE and any SPECIAL CONDITIONS in respect of the TRANSFERRING Employees.
  - (c) The BUYER and the SELLER acknowledge that pursuant and subject to TUPE, the CONTRACTs of employment between the TRANSFERING Employees and the SELLER will TRANSFER to the BUYER on COMPLETION.
  - (d) The BUYER is to keep the SELLER indemnified against all liability for the TRANSFERRING Employees after COMPLETION.

#### G21 Environmental

- G21.1 This CONDITION G21 only applies where the SPECIAL CONDITIONS so provide.
- G21.2 The SELLER has made available such reports as the SELLER has as to the environmental condition of the LOT and has given the BUYER the opportunity to carry out investigations (whether or not the BUYER has read those reports or carried out any investigation) and the BUYER admits that the PRICE takes into account the environmental condition of the LOT
- G21.3 The BUYER agrees to indemnify the SELLER in respect of all liability for or resulting from the environmental condition of the LOT.

#### G22 Service Charge

- G22.1 This CONDITION G22 applies where the LOT is sold subject to TENANCIES that include service charge provisions.
- G22.2 No apportionment is to be made at COMPLETION in respect of service charges.
- G22.3 Within two months after COMPLETION the SELLER must provide to the BUYER a detailed service charge account for the service charge year current on COMPLETION showing:
  - (a) service charge expenditure attributable to each TENANCY;
  - (b) payments on account of service charge received from each tenant;
  - (c) any amounts due from a tenant that have not been received;
  - (d) any service charge expenditure that is not attributable to any TENANCY and is for that reason irrecoverable.
- G22.4 In respect of each TENANCY, if the service charge account shows:
  - (a) that payments that the tenant has made on account exceed attributable service charge expenditure, the SELLER must pay to the BUYER an amount equal to that excess when it provides the service charge account; or
  - (b) that attributable service charge expenditure exceeds payments made on account, the BUYER must use all reasonable endeavours to recover the shortfall from the tenant as soon as practicable and promptly pay the amount so recovered to the SELLER; but in respect of payments on account that are still due from a tenant CONDITION G11 (ARREARS) applies.

- G22.5 In respect of service charge expenditure that is not attributable to any TENANCY the SELLER must pay the expenditure incurred in respect of the period before ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE and the BUYER must pay the expenditure incurred in respect of the period after ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE. Any necessary monetary adjustment is to be made within five BUSINESS DAYS of the SELLER providing the service charge account to the BUYER.
- G22.6 If the SELLER holds any reserve or sinking fund on account of future service charge expenditure or a depreciation fund:

 (a) the SELLER must pay it (including any interest earned on it) to the BUYER on COMPLETION; and
 (b) the BUYER must covenant with the SELLER to hold it in accordance with the terms of the TENANCIES and to indemnify the SELLER if it does not do so.

#### G23 Rent reviews

- G23.1 This CONDITION G23 applies where the LOT is sold subject to a TENANCY under which a rent review due on or before the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE has not been agreed or determined.
- G23.2 The SELLER may continue negotiations or rent review proceedings up to the ACTUAL COMPLETION DATE but may not agree the level of the revised rent or commence rent review proceedings without the written consent of the BUYER, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed.
- G23.3 Following COMPLETION the BUYER must complete rent review negotiations or proceedings as soon as reasonably practicable but may not agree the level of the revised rent without the written consent of the SELLER, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed.
- G23.4 The SELLER must promptly:
  - (a) give to the BUYER full details of all rent review negotiations and proceedings, including copies of all correspondence and other papers; and
  - (b) use all reasonable endeavours to substitute the BUYER for the SELLER in any rent review proceedings.
- G23.5 The SELLER and the BUYER are to keep each other informed of the progress of the rent review and have regard to any proposals the other makes in relation to it.
- G23.6 When the rent review has been agreed or determined the BUYER must account to the SELLER for any increased rent and interest recovered from the tenant that relates to the SELLER's period of ownership within five BUSINESS DAYS of receipt of cleared funds.
- G23.7 If a rent review is agreed or determined before COMPLETION but the increased rent and any interest recoverable from the tenant has not been received by COMPLETION the increased rent and any interest recoverable is to be treated as ARREARS.
- G23.8 The SELLER and the BUYER are to bear their own costs in relation to rent review negotiations and proceedings.

#### G24 TENANCY renewals

- G24.1 This CONDITION G24 applies where the tenant under a TENANCY has the right to remain in occupation under part II of the Landlord and Tenant Act 1954 (as amended) and references to notices and proceedings are to notices and proceedings under that Act.
- G24.2 Where practicable, without exposing the SELLER to liability or penalty, the SELLER must not without the written consent of the BUYER (which the BUYER must not unreasonably withhold or delay) serve or respond to any notice or begin or continue any proceedings.
- G24.3 If the SELLER receives a notice the SELLER must send a copy to the BUYER within five BUSINESS DAYS and act as the BUYER reasonably directs in relation to it.
- G24.4 Following COMPLETION the BUYER must:
   (a) with the co-operation of the SELLER take immediate steps to substitute itself as a party to any proceedings;
  - (b) use all reasonable endeavours to conclude any proceedings or negotiations for the renewal of the TENANCY and the determination of any interim rent as soon as reasonably practicable at the best rent or rents reasonably obtainable; and
  - (c) if any increased rent is recovered from the tenant (whether as interim rent or under the renewed TENANCY) account to the SELLER for the part of that increase that relates to the SELLER'S period of ownership of the LOT within five BUSINESS DAYS of receipt of cleared funds.

G24.5 The SELLER and the BUYER are to bear their own costs in relation to the renewal of the TENANCY and any proceedings relating to this.

#### G25 Warranties

- G25.1 Available warranties are listed in the SPECIAL CONDITIONS.
- G25.2 Where a warranty is assignable the SELLER must: (a) on COMPLETION assign it to the BUYER and give notice of assignment to the person who gave the warranty; and
  - (b) apply for (and the SELLER and the BUYER must use all reasonable endeavours to obtain) any consent to assign that is required. If consent has not been obtained by COMPLETION, the warranty must be assigned within five BUSINESS DAYS after the consent has been obtained.
- G25.3 If a warranty is not assignable the SELLER must after COMPLETION:
  - (a) hold the warranty on trust for the BUYER; and
  - (b) at the BUYER's cost comply with such of the lawful instructions of the BUYER in relation to the warranty as do not place the SELLER in breach of its terms or expose the SELLER to any liability or penalty.

#### G26 No assignment

The BUYER must not assign, mortgage or otherwise TRANSFER or part with the whole or any part of the BUYER'S interest under this CONTRACT.

- G27 Registration at the Land Registry
- G27.1 This CONDITION G27.1 applies where the LOT is leasehold and its sale either triggers first registration or is a registrable disposition. The BUYER must at its own expense and as soon as practicable:
  - (a) procure that it becomes registered at the Land Registry as proprietor of the LOT;
  - (b) procure that all rights granted and reserved by the lease under which the LOT is held are properly noted against the affected titles; and
  - (c) provide the SELLER with an official copy of the register relating to such lease showing itself registered as proprietor.
- G27.2 This CONDITION G27.2 applies where the LOT comprises part of a registered title. The BUYER must at its own expense and as soon as practicable:
  (a) apply for registration of the TRANSFER;
  - (b) provide the SELLER with an official copy and title plan for the BUYER'S new title; and
  - (c) join in any representations the SELLER may properly make to the Land Registry relating to the application.

#### G28 Notices and other communications

- 28.1 All communications, including notices, must be in writing. Communication to or by the SELLER or the BUYER may be given to or by their conveyancers.
- G28.2 A communication may be relied on if: (a) delivered by hand; or
  - (b) made electronically and personally acknowledged (automatic acknowledgement does not count); or
  - (c) there is proof that it was sent to the address of the person to whom it is to be given (as specified in the SALE MEMORANDUM) by a postal service that offers normally to deliver mail the next following BUSINESS DAY.
- G28.3 A communication is to be treated as received:
  - (a) when delivered, if delivered by hand; or
     (b) when personally acknowledged, if made electronically; but if delivered or made after 1700 hours on a BUSINESS DAY a communication is to be treated as received on the next BUSINESS DAY.
- G28.4 A communication sent by a postal service that offers normally to deliver mail the next following BUSINESS DAY will be treated as received on the second BUSINESS DAY after it has been posted.
- G29 CONTRACTs (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 No one is intended to have any benefit under the CONTRACT pursuant to the CONTRACTs (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

#### G30 EXTRA GENERAL CONDITIONS

G31.1 The Important Buyers Information contained at the front of this catalogue forms part of these Extra General Condition.

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- Deposit has been paid across
- Documentation to confirm your name and residential address (please see Anti-Money Laundering Regulations at the front of the catalogue)

# Telephone, Proxy & Online Bidding Terms & Conditions

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These standard terms and conditions for telephone, internet and proxy bidding ("Proxy Terms") together with the common auction terms and conditions ("Common Auction Terms") and the special conditions of sale that apply to the particular auction ("Special Conditions of Sale") apply to prospective bidders who wish to bid by telephone, internet or by proxy. By completing the bidding form, the bidder acknowledges that they have read all of these terms and agree to be bound by them.

References in these Proxy Terms to "Cheffins", "we" or "us" mean Cheffins, a firm of chartered surveyors regulated by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) (VAT number 213235411) having offices at Clifton House, 1-2 Clifton Road, Cambridge, CB1 7EA. References to "bidder, "you" and "your" means the person or entity registering to bid or bidding in an auction via proxy bidding.

You should note that all our auctions include the opportunity for bidders to attend at the sale and therefore they are public auctions within the meaning of the Consumer Rights Act 2015 ("the CRA") and the Consumer Contracts (Information, Cancellation and Additional Charges) Regulations 2013 ("the Regulations"). As such these Proxy Terms are excluded from the CRA and any cancellation rights set out in the Regulations. Business bidders do not have a right to cancel.

### Registration

#### All bidders must:

- 1 Complete the attached bidding form ("Bidding Form") stating their preferred method of bidding, together with a separate sale memorandum ("Sale Memorandum") (on the inside back cover of the auction catalogue) for each lot ("Lot") involved; and
- Read and accept Cheffins' privacy policy, which is available on its website www.cheffins.co.uk.
- 3 Sign or initialled copy of the Special Conditions (if relevant);
- 4 Instruct their bank to transfer the deposit to our bankers (as detailed in the Important Buyers Information available at http://www.cheffins.co.uk/property-auctions) using the "Clearing House Automated Payment System"; or
- 5 Supply a banker's draft, solicitors' client account cheque, or personal cheque, which must be drawn on a UK clearing bank account

of the bidder and made payable to Cheffins, and be for the greater of: (i) 10% of the guide price for the Lot or;

(ii) £3,000.

6 Provide copies of documents to satisfy the Money Laundering Reaulations 2017.

Internet bidders must complete their registration at least 48 hours before the auction commences.

No price is to be inserted in each relevant Sale Memorandum.

If registering by post, the Documents must be sent or delivered to **PROPERTY AUCTIONS, CHEFFINS, CLIFTON HOUSE, 1-2 CLIFTON ROAD, CAMBRIDGE, CB1 7EA** and must arrive before 5 pm two working days prior to the date of the auction. All Documents must satisfy the conditions of the relevant anti-money laundering regulations in force from time to time. It is the bidder's responsibility to check that these documents have been received by Cheffins which may be done by telephoning the office on **01223 213777**. Please note that standard calling rates shall apply if calling from a landline and higher costs may apply if calling from a mobile phone.

Once you have registered, you will be eligible to participate in the auction using your preferred method.

Please note that Cheffins reserves the right to reject a bid registration for any reason and at any time prior to, during or after an auction.

### **General Bidding Procedure**

Once registration is complete, the bidder agrees that it appoints Cheffins as agent and authorises Cheffins to bid for the relevant Lot on behalf of the prospective bidder in the manner as the auctioneer thinks fit in his absolute discretion.

The bidder shall be deemed to have read the 'Important Buyers' Information' which is available at http://www.cheffins.co.uk/ property-auctions; the particulars of the relevant Lot in the auction catalogue; the Common Auction Conditions and Special Conditions of Sale and any addendum to any of these.

The bidder shall be deemed to have taken all necessary professional and legal advice and to have made appropriate enquiries, searches, surveys and inspection in respect of any relevant Lot and have knowledge of any announcements to be made from the rostrum of any amendment or addendum relating to the relevant Lot.

Cheffins reserve the right not to bid on behalf of bidders in the event of any error, doubt, omission, uncertainty as to any bid, or for any reason whatsoever, and gives no warranty or agreement that any bid will be made on behalf of the bidder.

The deposit shall be paid to the relevant payee either by a cheque or banker's draft or by a Clearing House Automated Payment System transfer in each case drawn on an account of the bidder at a UK clearing bank. The auctioneers may re-offer the Lot for auction if the deposit is not paid or transferred in the prescribed manner.

All bids must be made in pounds sterling (£).

### **Telephone and Proxy Bidding**

When the Lot comes up for auction, Cheffins will attempt to telephone the bidder using the telephone numbers provided by the bidder on the telephone bidding form.

If a successful telephone connection is made between the bidder and Cheffins the bidder may then compete in the bidding. Cheffins will relay the bidder's bid to the auctioneer on the behalf of the bidder.

If a successful telephone connection is not made between the bidder and Cheffins before or during the sale of the relevant Lot, or if a successful telephone connection is made but is subsequently cut or interrupted Cheffins will not bid on behalf of the bidder.

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### Internet Bidding

The internet bidding platform is hosted by Essential Information Group Limited ("EIG").

Access to and use of internet bidding depends upon (amongst other things) the availability of the internet and speed and quality of connections.

During an auction, the bidder may bid for a Lot by clicking the "Bid" button on the Lot page.

The current confirmed and accepted bid will be displayed on the bidder's screen during the auction. If you discover that you have made an error in your bid, you must act quickly to cancel or amend your bid. In the event of a tie between an online bid and an identical bid placed by other methods, the auctioneer shall have discretion to decide which bid is accepted.

Cheffins will not accept any internet bids received, for whatever reason, once the Lot has been knocked down.

Cheffins reserves the right to suspend or terminate any aspect or feature of the online bidding platform at any time with or without notice. Cheffins may suspend access to the online bidding platform to carry out scheduled or unscheduled maintenance.

### **Successful Bids**

If you are successful in your bid, Cheffins will notify you by calling the telephone number provided on the registration form within 24 hours of the end of the auction.

On a successful bid the auctioneer will sign the Sale Memorandum on behalf of the seller (a binding contract between the bidder and the seller is formed on the fall of the hammer). This contract will be sent to you in an electronic format by Cheffins and will be in English.

In the event that any Lot is knocked down to the bidder, details of the amount of the deposit monies will be inserted in the Sale Memorandum. Where any monies presented by a bidder in payment of the deposit exceeds the required 10%, any excess will not be returned and will form an increased deposit and will be held in accordance with the Common Auction Conditions or any variation of them contained in the Special Conditions.

The bidder agrees to pay for any Lot that is subject to a successful bid in accordance with the Common Auction Conditions.

### Limitation on liability

### For all bidders, Cheffins accepts no liability for:

- any failure or delay in executing bids or any errors contained in bids placed by telephone, over the internet or by proxy;
- any failure in availability of the online bidding platform or website due to connectivity issues outside of our control; or
- · any loss or damage that is not foreseeable.

### Nothing in these terms shall limit or exclude our liability for:

 death or personal injury caused by our negligence, or the negligence of our employees, agents or subcontractors (as applicable);

- · fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation;
- breach of the terms implied by section 12 of the Sale of Goods Act 1979 or section 2 of the Supply of Goods and Services Act 1982;
- · defective products under the Consumer Protection Act 1987; or
- any matter in respect of which it would be unlawful for us to exclude or restrict liability.

#### If you are bidding as a business rather than a consumer:

- all terms implied by sections 13 to 15 of the Sale of Goods Act 1979 and sections 3 to 5 of the Supply of Goods and Services Act 1982 are excluded;
- we shall not be liable to you, whether in contract, tort (including negligence), breach of statutory duty, or otherwise, for any loss of profit, or any indirect or consequential loss arising under or in connection with any contract between us; and
- our total liability to you for all other losses arising under or in connection with any contract between us, whether in contract, tort (including negligence), breach of statutory duty, or otherwise, shall be limited to £5,000,000.

### **General provisions**

Content displayed on our website may contain inaccuracies and typographical errors and Cheffins does not warrant the accuracy or completeness of the content or that any defects will be corrected.

We handle data in accordance with applicable laws. For more information, please see our privacy policy which is available at **www.cheffins.co.uk/privacy-policy.** 

From time to time, Cheffins may make changes to its terms and conditions. Any changes will be posted on the website at www.cheffins.co.uk.

Alternative dispute resolution is a process where an independent body considers the facts of a dispute and seeks to resolve it, without the bidder having to go to court. If the bidder is not happy with how we have handled any complaint, the bidder may want to contact the alternative dispute resolution provider we use. The bidder can submit a complaint to The Property Ombudsman via their website at **www.tpos.co.uk**. The Property Ombudsman will not charge for making a complaint and if the bidder is not satisfied with the outcome it can still bring legal proceedings. In addition, please note that disputes may be submitted for online resolution to the European Commission Online Dispute Resolution platform.

These terms are governed by English law and the bidder can bring legal proceedings in respect of the products in the exclusive jurisdiction of the English courts.

### Contact us and complaints handling:

Our complaints handling procedure is available at **www. cheffins.co.uk/complaints-procedure**. If you wish to contact us with any questions or complaints, you may do so using one of the methods set out in our complaints handling procedure.



The <b>lot</b>		
The <b>price</b> (excluding any VAT)	£	
Deposit paid	£	
Balance <b>payable</b>	£	
Name and address of <b>seller</b>		
Name and address of <b>buyer</b>		
Name and address of <b>buyer's solicitors</b>		

The **seller** agrees to sell and the **buyer** agrees to buy the **lot** for the **price**. This agreement is subject to the **conditions** so far as they apply to the **lot**. We acknowledge receipt of the deposit.

Signed by the <b>buyer</b>		Date	/	/
Signed by us as the <b>agent</b> for the <b>seller</b>		Date	/	/

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Applies to all New & Regular Clients.

Due to the anti-money laundering regulations and legislation which came into effect in June 2017.

WE ARE LEGALLY REQUIRED TO VERIFY THE IDENTITY AND ADDRESS OF EVERYONE WHO OFFERS, BIDS OR BUYS AT AUCTION, REGARDLESS OF ANY CURRENT OR PAST RELATIONSHIP WITH CHEFFINS.

ANY PERSON INTENDING TO BID WILL BE REQUIRED TO PRODUCE ONE ITEM FROM BOTH LIST A AND LIST B BELOW, PRIOR TO THE AUCTION OR ANY PURCHASE.

- If you intend to bid by telephone, proxy bid or online, we will require this information BEFORE the day of the auction. If we do not receive ID, you will be unable to bid.
- If bidding on behalf of a company, you will also need to show a copy of the Certificate of Incorporation, a list of directors and a letter of authority on company letterhead, signed by a company director prior to signing the contract. We will also need to verify the ID for all persons with more than a 25% share of the company.

A list of suitable options is available below.

# YOU MUST PROVIDE ONE DOCUMENT FROM EACH LIST OF ACCEPTABLE ID:

### List A - Proof of Name

- A valid passport
- Original UK birth certificate issued within 12months of the date of birth in full form (including those issued by UK authorities overseas such as Embassies High Commissions and HM Forces)
- EEA member state identity card
- Current UK or EEA photocard driving licence
- Full old style driving licence (UK)
- Photographic registration cards for self-employed individuals in the construction industry (CIS4)
- National identity card bearing a photograph of the applicant
- Firearms or shotgun certificate
- Residence permit issued by the Home Office to EEA nationals on sight of own country passport
- Benefit book or original notification letter from Benefits
   Agency

### List B - Proof of Residence

- A utility bill dated within the last 3 months. This could be an energy bill, water bill or landline telephone bill
- A council tax bill for the current council tax year
- Electoral register entry OR NHS medical card or letter of confirmation from GP's practice of registration with the surgery
- Current UK driving licence (unless used as proof of identification)
- Bank, building society or credit union statement dated in last 3 months (transactions can be redacted)
- Original mortgage statement from a recognised lender dated within last year
- Solicitor's letter confirming recent property purchase (last 3 months) or land registry confirmation of address
- Council or housing association rent card or tenancy agreement for the current year
- HMRC self-assessment letters or tax demand dated within the current financial year

Within Cheffins, the preferred method of complying with Anti-Money Laundering Laws is by using e-verification. This is performed by inputting your personal data (as permitted by Article 6.1.c of GDPR) into a 3rd party e-verification service that automatically checks your details against a series of data bases ranging from the Electoral Roll to Credit Accounts. A match against 2 or more of these databases provides an "accept" result. If your result is referred, further manual checks will be required.

If you have any queries relating to the regulations, please contact Kelly Peacock on 01223 213777 or kelly.peacock@cheffins.co.uk